

# WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and vicinity—increasing easterly and southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with occasional rain.  
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## SURPLUS SHOWN IN B.C. BUDGET

Retrenchment in Civil Service Makes It Possible for Government to Leave Taxation Unchanged

PER CAPITA DEBT IS PLACED AT \$79.35

Establishment of Sinking Fund for First P.G.E. Bond Issue Announced by House by Hon. J. D. MacLean

BRITISH Columbia's 1925-26 Budget will show a surplus for the first time in more than a decade. There will be no change in provincial taxation.

These are the two outstanding points in the lengthy Budget speech made in the Legislature yesterday by Hon. Dr. MacLean, Minister of Finance. The surplus predicted amounts to \$186,902.72.

No change in taxation means that businessmen who have been striving for complete abolition of the personal property tax must face disappointment.

The Finance Minister's saving in order to effect a balance will come from a reduction of overhead expenses, with the civil servants being particularly affected, a salary list decrease of \$142,477 being announced. Co-ordination of services, elimination of others and doubling of salaries is the method adopted.

Nearly every department of Government is to be asked to operate with less money next year, the most notable direct economy being accomplished in the Finance Minister's own two departments, finance and education.

The reduction in the estimates for the former totals \$80,039, and in the education estimates, \$126,215. The Department of Lands will also be called upon to get along with \$108,288 less by decreasing the amounts devoted to insect damage and control, and timber reconnaissance and cruising.

Hon. Dr. MacLean declared that the actual cash revenue for 1925-26 was \$13,340,000, and the estimated expenditure, \$18,182,097, thus providing a surplus of \$186,902.72. Estimated cash revenue for 1925-26 is \$13,346 of revenue for the current fiscal year.

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## COLD SNAP KILLS THREE PEOPLE

COLDEST RECORD FOR DAY RECORDED IN NEW YORK

Sixty-Mile Freezing Blast Brings Much Suffering and Results in Three Deaths

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—New York shivered today, the coldest November 17 in the city in the records of the weather bureau. A sixty-mile, freezing blast swept from the Atlantic, to put the thermometer at eighteen degrees above zero at 7 o'clock this morning. Two persons, a man and a woman, died as a result of the storm.

Ships fought their way into port several hours late and wearing coats of ice, and small craft were swept to sea with their half-frozen crews. Ashore less havoc was wrought, except on trees and window panes. Neither of the cold wave victims was identified.

Five men were rescued at sea from an open motorboat found by the coastguard cutter Seminole.

At Hartford, Conn., John Yerdie was frozen to death. In the Litchfield Hills, in Connecticut, temperatures of eight to ten above zero were reported.

Montreal's Bitter Experience

MONTREAL, Nov. 17.—The coldest weather of the season is prevalent in Montreal today, with the thermometer hovering in the vicinity of ten degrees above zero. The streets are coated with ice and snow, following Sunday's blizzard, when an inch and a half of snow fell, preceded by four-tenths of an inch of rain.

Owing to the cold and blustery weather in the St. Lawrence River, every inbound ocean liner was delayed over the week-end. The severity of the wind made it necessary for several ships to anchor between Montreal and Quebec.

## Amundsen to Use Three Planes in Forthcoming Flight to North Pole

AKRON, O., Nov. 17.—Roald Amundsen, Norwegian explorer, will attempt an airplane flight to the North Pole next summer. It became known here today after a visit of the explorer last week to Hudson, a village twelve miles north of here, where he conferred with James W. Ellsworth, financier and philanthropist.

Mr. Ellsworth, according to information, has agreed to finance the venture and will furnish \$100,000. Lincoln Ellsworth, of Hudson, Mr. Ellsworth's son, will accompany Amundsen. Three planes will be taken on the flight.

## Forging Canadian Excise Stamps

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—The Supreme Court refused today to admit the eighth circuit court of appeals whether the counterfeiting of Canadian excise stamps is an offense punishable under the criminal code of the United States. A case involving the question was dismissed.

## APATHY HELD TO COMMITTEE

Alderman Woodward Says Council Industrial Body Has Been in Rip Van Winkle Sleep Since 1921

LABELS RESOLUTION AN ELECTION DODGE

Declares Committee Has Received \$6,000 in Appropriations in Three Years and Has Spent Only \$38.61

ALDERMAN Woodward last night charged the industrial committee of the City Council with having languished in a Rip Van Winkle sleep since 1921, and labelled as merely a pretence the suggestion that half the Armadale Estate again be offered Hirst & Company, woolen manufacturers, of England, as an industrial site.

The matter arose when Alderman John Harvey, chairman of the industrial committee introduced a resolution to the effect that the Council should next year elect a body that concessions offered the company in 1921 be confirmed and supplemented by the prompt offer of one-half the Armadale Estate.

The resolution provoked smiles from members of the Council, but "I don't see why we should treat it as a joke," Alderman Andros declared in seconding the motion. "There is no earthly reason why we should not pass it. It can't do any harm, and it might be productive of good."

"I would like to see the file of correspondence between the industrial committee and the company," Alderman Woodward declared.

"There is nothing private about it. I can assure you," Alderman Andros asserted.

"This took place in 1921," continued Alderman Woodward. "I would want to know what the industrial committee has been doing since. In 1921, \$5,000 was appropriated for the inland lands committee, and nothing was spent. In 1922, \$500 was appropriated and \$11.71 was spent. In 1923, \$500 was appropriated and \$26.90 has been spent."

"This Council should know why the industrial committee has been idle since 1921, and has caught this matter up on the eve of the 1924 election. If this is merely an election dodge, it is about time the people of Victoria knew about it."

A Private Affair

Alderman Harvey replied that, in 1921, \$1,000 of the committee's funds had been used to prepare the ground for the Amusement Centre. The matter, he said, had been brought up as a private affair, and not as the business of the industrial committee. The negotiations had had to do with the industrial committee of 1921, he declared.

"I am not on the industrial committee," declared Alderman Andros, "but I must say that the remarks about Alderman Harvey are uncalled for. He is willing to go to England to negotiate with the company at his own expense, and this paves the way. I don't know who the members of the industrial committee are."

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## TORIES LAUNCH NATIONAL BODY

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RT. HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN PRESIDENT AND LEADER

Mrs. R. E. Green Chosen as Women's Representative From Province of British Columbia

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## WOULD RELIEVE UNEMPLOYMENT

City Council to Seek Solution for the Problem—Committee to Hold Conference This Morning

TO ASK GOVERNMENT FOR GRANT FOR WORK

Delegation of Unemployed Waits on Council—Twelve Hundred Out of Work in City, Council Learns

THE City Council last night decided on action to relieve the unemployment situation. After hearing a description of the situation by Mayor Hayward, it was determined that the unemployment committee should meet at 10 o'clock this morning to find a solution to the problem, and that the Provincial Government should be approached and asked to provide work in the near vicinity of Victoria.

A large delegation of unemployed, headed by Colonel C. L. Fleck, waited upon the council.

Mayor Hayward described the situation as acute.

"My opinion is also endorsed," he worship said, "by the Friendly Help Association, whose secretary informs me that she has never been so hard pressed by genuine cases of destitution—which are personally investigated by members of a committee of that association—as at present; and that she will be compelled to call upon the city for further assistance, as well as to seek outside aid, in order to cope with the situation. Her appropriation for November is already exhausted."

"Inquiry at the Government Employment Bureau today shows that it has at this date over 600 unemployed men registered. The Salvation Army also reports that it is flooded with applications for work or food and lodging."

"I am informed by the executive committee of the unemployed that there are 1,200 Victoria men out of work and anxious to take anything offered, such as a number out of work as stated, and only 50 per cent are married men, with an average of a wife and two children to support. This means that 3,000 persons are requiring the necessities of life."

Not Charly, But Work

"During the past few months, I do not think that a single day has passed that I have not been interviewed by many men, and women too, asking, not for charity, but work. Included among such applicants were professional men, as well as laborers and mechanics. Taxpayers have applied for work, offering to allow their earnings to be applied towards their taxes, in order to try to save their homes."

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### COMMONS TO DISCUSS REOPENING WEMBLEY

British House to Be Asked to Vote Soon Necessary in Case Dominions Agree to Assist

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Leaders of the Conservative Government who are of the opinion that the opening of

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Sirloin Steaks, lb. 25¢ | Pot Roasts, lb. 10¢ and 8¢  
Veal Cutlets, lb. 30¢ | Boiling Beef, lb. 8¢ and 6¢

### RULINGS GIVEN ON PENSIONS DISPUTES

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ISSUES JUDGMENT ON LAW POINTS  
On Four Decisions Finding is That Appeal Board Had No Jurisdiction and Reverses Assent

OTTAWA, Nov. 17.—The Department of Justice has handed down its ruling on five points of pension law which were involved in eight individual cases in dispute between the Federal Appeal Board and the Board of Pension Commissioners. On four of the decisions the department finds that the Appeal Board has no jurisdiction, while on one question its finding is that the board has jurisdiction.

The department ruled that the Appeal Board has jurisdiction to reverse the decision of the pension commissioners in that case in which where the pension board had decided that death was not the result of aggravation or service of a pre-existing injury or disease. The Appeal Board has no jurisdiction, according to the ruling, to reverse a decision of the pension commissioners discontinuing pension on the grounds that aggravation during service has caused the disability.

Other questions on which the department rules that the Appeal Board has no jurisdiction are as follows: Whether the Appeal Board has jurisdiction to reverse a decision of the pensioners refusing in full (and award pension for aggravation during service only) on the grounds that the disability at the time of enlisting was obvious or was wilfully concealed or was a congenital affliction.

Whether the Appeal Board has jurisdiction to reverse a decision of the pension commission refusing pension on the ground that the disability was the result of the man's misconduct.

Whether the Appeal Board has jurisdiction to change the diagnosis of an injury or disease respecting which the pension commissioners have refused pension and to substitute therefor another injury and disease in respect of which the Appeal Board renders judgment that such injury or disease was attributable to or was contracted during military service.

### CHINESE TO APPEAL FISH JUDGMENT

Police Court Decision Given Against Keeping Live Cod in Crates Under Provincial Regulation

A decision has been given in the police court against the keeping of codfish alive in crates in the harbor of Victoria. Police Magistrate Jay, in giving judgment, said that he felt that the arguments against the authority of the province to regulate the matter on the ground that the waters of the harbor were under the jurisdiction of the Dominion was not well founded.

Mr. Frank Higgins, K. C., who appeared for the defence in the prosecution that was taken against the Chinese concerned in the keeping of the fish, gave notice that he would appeal against the decision.

The charges were against Hong Hop Yick and Hop Yick Koon Kee. A fine of \$50 was inflicted in each instance.

### MILKMAN ENTERS ACTION AGAINST CITY

Mr. James Donegan, Through His Solicitor, Puts in Claim for Twenty Thousand Dollars

Acting on behalf of Mr. James Donegan, an action for damages has been entered in the Supreme Court of the province by Mr. J. A. Alkman against the city of Victoria. The plaintiff claims from the city the sum of \$20,000 and an injunction to restrain the corporation through its servants from repeating the acts complained of.

The basis of the action is contained in the following statement of claims of the plaintiff as filed: "On the fifth day of March, 1923, the defendants maliciously and without reasonable or probable cause charged the plaintiff before George Jay, Esquire, police magistrate in and for the city of Victoria, with selling dirty milk, and fined the plaintiff the sum of \$20. There is no charge in such information or in the statement of claim that since that date the defendants have from time to time published over the signature of the city health officer statements that were false relative to the milk offered by the plaintiff. Trespass upon the property of the plaintiff is alleged against the Medical Health Officer and Ald. E. S. Woodward."

**Fire at Mission**  
MISSION CITY, B.C., Nov. 17.—Fire of unknown origin early Sunday morning totally destroyed the Mission Hotel here. The blaze was first noticed by the crew of a passing freight train, about 1:30 a.m., and before the volunteer fire-fighters could turn out, was beyond control. The building was a landmark of Mission, having been built in 1891. It was owned by T. Bradley.

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### Oddities in the News

An Image 20,000 Years Old—Mr. Darrow's Ideas on Marriage and Birth Control—Where the Woman Is Boss

MEXICO CITY.—That the earliest inhabitants of America were of Asiatic origin is a theory widely accepted and strengthened by the recent discovery of a small silver image in the district of Teotihuacan, where never before have been found specimens in the least resembling this one.

The image, the only one of its kind known, is about three inches long, is not of a monster but of a man, and is not deformed. It is remarkably well preserved, in spite of the fact that the archaeologist of the National Museum of Mexico estimate that it belongs to an era more than 10,000 years before Christ. The silver is molded in very primitive fashion and is not purified. Traces of arsenic prove, according to experts, the date of its making by the competition of its smelting. The figure, now in the National Museum, is the clearest and most beautiful specimen of the almost mythical pre-Toltec, and comparison with the Totonac and Tarascan figures shows points of similarity, such as the standing and cubical form of the limbs, the peculiar cylindrical smoothness of the head. It cannot be identified with any known god, and it shows a distinct Asiatic influence.

LORAIN, O.—"Society will eventually work out a system whereby women will be the heads of their families and the practice of marriage will be eliminated," Clarence S. Darrow, Chicago attorney who saved Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold from the gallows, asserted in an interview here.

"It is only preachers and religions which say the family is the foundation of society," said Darrow.

"What is a family? Whether children of the same mother have the same father is not an important matter so long as they are of the right kind of fathers. Heredity and environment make the child, and the latter is most important. Making is more than a less right because there have been no words said by a preacher. In time children will come to be looked upon as assets rather than liabilities," Darrow said.

The aged lawyer does not believe in the general practice of birth control would be a solution of the crime problem.

"Certainly birth control should be a part of woman's knowledge," he claimed, "but as a solution of crime it could be used only as a temporary and local remedy. Probably the practice would eliminate some causes of crime, as it is the poor who have large families and it is poverty that is one of the great causes of crime."

SEATTLE.—The wife is the "man" of the family among the Zuni Indians in Arizona, according to Professor Leslie Spier, anthropologist, who announced yesterday a new course in ancient political customs at the University of Washington. The course will be taught for the first time.

Zuni women not only rule the roost, but they can get rid of their husbands whenever they want to. They simply deposit his household effects outside the door of their roof trees and the divorce holds in all the Zuni courts of law.

A tribe of Indians was investigated by a federal agent last year. He has returned to the University of Washington after a year's absence, on leave, most of which he spent in the sun-baked regions of Arizona.

### MUST WITHDRAW REVERTED LANDS

Ald. Sargent, Mayoralty Candidate at Forthcoming Elections, Advocates Retention of Reverted Lands

Reverted lands must be withdrawn from the market, says Ald. Sargent, mayoralty candidate in the forthcoming elections.

"The policy of the city so far," Alderman Sargent declared yesterday, "has been to flood the real estate market with its huge volume of reverted lands and before relief is had the decks must be cleared for action. In other words the lands must be withdrawn from the market."

"Since the city began selling reverted lots over four years ago, up to the present time there has been an average of 44.6 lots sold per year and at this rate, if not a single lot more reverts, it will take seventy-three years to dispose of those now on hand. With such a record it is business-like to look for a more efficient program."

**Faith in Future**  
"In accordance with my policy I think the City Council might decide that on the first day of March, all reverted lands should be withdrawn from sale. This would give all who are intending to purchase some particular lot or lots an opportunity to carry out their intentions without undue haste or inconvenience. The decision would, in the meantime, be an announcement to all that Victoria had faith in her future and that she intends to hold her reverted lands for a favorable market. When the lots are withdrawn the local market should experience a sense of relief; private citizens owning lots would appreciate the changed conditions, that whereas before the market was glutted with over three thousand parcels of land, the available supply consists of a limited number of privately owned properties and a feeling of strength in the real estate market should follow."

**Lesson From Prokers**  
"After the new programme is inaugurated no more lots should be released on the market at any one time than it can absorb, a principle adopted in the cotton, the grain, the stock and other markets which are directed by men who understand matters."

### WOULD ELIMINATE ALDERMANIC PAY

SERVE WITHOUT SALARY IS ALDERMAN CHRISTIE'S SLOGAN  
Reverted Lands Should Be Used as Industrial Sites Is Belief of Candidate for Mayor's Office

If elected Mayor at the forthcoming elections Alderman G. D. Christie would not only content himself with out-of-pocket expenses in lieu of the temporary salary of \$3,000; he would also advocate that aldermen serve without salary, he told The Colonist last night.

"I have maintained before that members of the aldermanic board should serve without salary but I have never received support in the project from my fellow members of the council," Alderman Christie declared.

"In connection with the problem of reverted lands and their relation to industries, I am in favor of the city establishing some system of providing reverted land for industrial sites on long lease. The lease period should be determined by the extent of the industry to absorb labor, as I would support a longer term for factories which would employ a large number of men. The decision of the council recently to provide for fixed assessments on certain industrial property, for which legislation is now being promoted, should enable us to give other aids to industries seeking locations."

**Tax Situation**  
"The tax situation in 1925 will be more serious in its burden on the property owner for fixed charges than hitherto, the maximum of liability on this head not having been reached, and for that reason I am in favor of any feasible policy the incoming council may adopt for spreading the financial charges over a period in which the amounts to be repaid will be equalized, thereby relieving the heavy taxation at a time when financial conditions are undoubtedly pressing our citizens."

"As an alderman I have lost no opportunity in endeavoring to remove the pressure on the retail trade, due to heavy trades licences and other forms of taxation. The present streets regulation amendments are framed with an objective to curtail the obstacles to full use of the business district owing to the problems created by the motorization of traffic. As a motorist I can appreciate the problem from the standpoint both of the merchant and the user of cars."

**Should Be Automatic**  
"I would endeavor to bring in legislation that business and professional men who pay a business licence, but not a property tax, should be admitted to the 'voters' list automatically, also that there should be a readjustment of this tax."

"During the coming year the council will be called upon to renew the water agreement with Saanich Municipality. Not only do I think that good business to carry out, but am in favor of extending the services to areas in the Saanich peninsula not yet served by the Saanich waterworks. The fixed charges on that splendid undertaking are heavy, and the only way the city can reduce them without placing a burden on the ratepayers of the city is to increase the field of service outside the corporate limits."

**Economy Difficult**  
"I am an economist, as my record in the City Council Board and the Council at various dates shows. Economy in civic affairs is much more difficult than the public thinks, because our fixed charges, together with the essential services for schools, fire protection, police and health cannot be curtailed. Beyond that little remains over which the aldermen have control, and while the present conditions exist, I am not inclined to embark on any large project entailing an increase of the taxes."

In asking for the suffrages of the people of Victoria as mayor I do so with the confidence that my public work has justified throughout a spirit of disinterested service, a belief in the community where my investments are made, and a confidence that if the people honor me with their vote on December 11, they will have no cause to regret their choice."

### VIOLENT DEATHS OVER WEEK-END IN EAST

OTTAWA, Nov. 17.—Fatalities in which trains played a prominent part were numerous throughout Eastern Canada over the week-end. John Smithson, 45, was instantly killed when his motor truck was hit by a Michigan Central train at Niagara Falls. James Letour, 45, an employee of the Quebec Central Railway, fell off a car in front of an engine.

In attempting to catch the handles of a passing freight car at Peterboro, Ont., twelve-year-old Fernus Gough slipped beneath the wheels and was instantly killed.

Eleven-year-old Demur Turgeon was accidentally shot to death by his brother at Sherbrooke, Que.; and Mary Ann Woods, aged seven, met a similar fate from a gun in the hands

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of her young brother, Harry, at their home at Hensheim, Ont.

Edmund Tempt, 21, was fatally injured when his automobile was overturned in a collision with another automobile at Toronto.

James Purdy, 59, Troy, Ont., farmer, was killed when an automobile crashed into the hayrack which he was driving near Hamilton, Ont.

The body of Mrs. Elizabeth, 55, who had been missing from her Durham home since Wednesday, was washed ashore near Toronto.



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Licensing of Men at Wheel Also  
Halted With Pleasure—Course  
of Bill Being Watched

Amendments introduced in the British Columbia Legislature by Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General, to the Motor Vehicle and Highways Acts, have been received with gratification by Mr. F. G. T. Lucas, president of the Automobile Club of British Columbia. The recommendations of the club were closely followed in the amendments. President Lucas said yesterday.

One of the most gratifying proposals in the motor act is that providing for establishment of automobile courts for jurisdictions to be determined by order-in-council. All motor act offences are to be tried before the special automobile magistrates, the bill provides, and all revenue from fines is to go to the Provincial Treasury from which the cost of the court will also be maintained.

The licensing of drivers also meets a long standing request of the club. Licences must always be carried by drivers and convictions are to be endorsed thereon. Suspension of the licence may be ordered on conviction of the act and upon three convictions the magistrate must suspend the licence, which suspension the superintendent of Provincial Police may make permanent if he deems fit.

Driving while licence is under suspension is punishable with three months' imprisonment.

Carrying of lights by bicycles is made compulsory and the carrying of passengers on handle bars is prohibited.

Provision will be made for a speed limit of twenty miles an hour in any town, city or village, with thirty-five miles per hour allowed in country districts, excepting in wooded districts or where there is an obstructed view.

### NEW AMENDMENTS GO THROUGH HOUSE

ADVANTAGE TAKEN OF EARLY  
BUDGET SPEECH FINISH

Attorney-General Urges Closer Public  
Attention to Act During Pass-  
age Through Legislature

Several small amendments in connection with the Motor Vehicle and Highways Department were put through to the committee stage yesterday afternoon when it was found that Hon. Dr. MacLean had completed his speech on his budget speech than was anticipated.

In the bill to amend the Legal Profession's Act, Hon. Mr. Manson explained that the financial condition was not in a satisfactory financial condition and it was desired to increase the fees but this could not be done until an ambiguity had been removed.

The amendment to the Landlord and Tenant Act raised questions from Mr. Pooley and Mr. H. Despard, the latter adjourning the debate.

An amendment to the Plans and Cancellation Act, sponsored by Hon. Mr. Manson, was the cause of the Attorney-General explaining that the people of the Province would take more interest in legislation when it was up in the House.

The act had been introduced in the House some years ago but a defect had been pointed out by a Vancouver realty man, that it did not permit the cancellation of a lease when the owner of the land had been changed.

Several questions were asked but these will be discussed in committee.

Amendments to the Wills Act is likely to be much debated when it comes up in committee. Hon. Mr. Manson explained that the amendment was desired to conform with that of other provinces and of England in respect to the cancellation of wills by marriage.

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The Press Gallery,  
Monday

The promise, or threat, of night sittings, which has hung like a dismal cloud over the House ever since it convened, was fulfilled today, when the Premier obtained formal passage of his resolution authorizing the same for every day during the rest of the session, unless otherwise ordered. The Premier softened the blow by pointing to the glorious possibilities of this saving clause, but few honorable members seemed to get much comfort from it. Mr. Pooley asked for an undertaking that the House was not to be committed to sitting every night until Christmas. The Premier replied that it would always rest with the House itself, when the motion to adjourn was made.

A state of mind proper to all governments, as a veteran member put it this afternoon, is that nothing so much becomes a parliamentary session as the manner of its prosecution—so long as that manner is above all things speedy. The pretext is—and it has been much in use already in this House—the improvement of the country must be got on with. Premier Oliver has even undertaken to represent his followers their natural inclination to go to themselves and their leader and his colleagues with that proper pride, the intensity of which is only exceeded by the manner in which the Opposition vies the same subjects with alarm. And now it is the night sitting which is to rescue the country from the dire results of the opposition's recalcitrant tendency to want to know about everything.

"The more the House changes, the more it is still the same," said the member for Mary Todd Island today, as he recalled the yearly protest against the early institution of night sittings. "These night sittings are like the brimstone and treacle roller used to give us in the Spring. They are supposed to be good for us, and we are told that if we take 'em like good boys we'll be home for Christmas; and so we make a face, and take them. Funny thing is when some new member discovers with emotion that we owe the night sitting to the practice of the Mother of Parliaments. They don't take long to become disillusioned. Fact is, the session is just the same thing after another for reasonable ministers. And when your majority is a mighty uncertain quantity, and your following is a wretchedly small one, you can't be too cautious. You can't be too much sympathetic with the theory that government by Order in Council has not a lot to recommend it, after all."

The budget was brought down today. It was brought down by the Hon. J. D. MacLean, appearing in his first speech as new Minister of Finance. It was brought down with much pride, and it was exhibited to the House as something that was really worth bringing down. Dr. MacLean was so happy about it, in congratulating the new leader of the Opposition on his elevation to that position, that he hoped Mr. Pooley might sit on the left of Mr. Speaker for the next ten years, and hear similar pride-inspiring budgets brought down by similarly elevated Liberal ministers of finance. The ministry was kindly courteous in his references to his opponents. He managed to introduce his budget in a speech of less than two hours' length. The budget itself is a lengthy document. It is contained in fifty-five close-typed foolscap pages, and its columns of debits and credits, its folio of vital and other statistics, will give the House something to talk about for the next week or more.

Dr. MacLean was full of hope as he surveyed the economic and financial resources of the Province. Whispers of death were inexpressible to the honorable member, especially when he thought of what had been done for British Columbia since his party assumed power in 1917. He said that it was a negligible achievement of the party which had been in power before that time. Thus, when it was realized, Mr. Speaker, that British Columbia was a Province peculiarly dependent upon its highways, who could fail to be impressed by the comparative "antiquities" from 1871 to 1917. Mr. Speaker, during the regime of the other persuasion, there had been spent on roads in the Province thirty-nine million dollars. But since the Liberal came in, in 1917, Mr. Speaker, seventeen million dollars had been spent on roads. Cheers from the Liberal benches. More cheers when he said that it was twenty times as expensive to build roads in British Columbia as in the Prairie provinces.

Another thing that the minister pointed to with pride was the sinking fund. Apparently, the more you sink in a sinking fund, the higher your credit rose on the financial markets of the world. The debt was seventy millions, despite sounds of dissent from the Opposition benches. The debt redemption fund was nineteen million. Of this the sinking fund was fourteen millions. Then there was six millions in the securities of the Province in the bonds of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. The minister was eloquent when he showed how all the other Canadian provinces put together had only as much of a sinking fund as British Columbia, and they had it to set against a combined debt of \$49 millions. If there was no increase in the debt—signs of acquiescence on the Opposition benches—the Province would pay off its debt, as long as nothing went wrong with the sinking fund, in twenty-five years. Whereas, Mr. Speaker, it would take the other provinces, on the same

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### Island Delegates Meet Minister On Road Work

Following the meeting of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island, at Duncan, two weeks ago, definite action is to be taken in the matter of pressing for the improvement of the Island Highway. A meeting of delegates from the different parts of the island will be held tomorrow. This will be followed by a meeting with the Minister of Public Works, Hon. Dr. Rutherford, arrangements for which conference have been made. The Victoria Chamber of Commerce was given the assurance at the meeting of the directors yesterday that the outlook for action along the line proposed was very bright.

terms, and always remembering their insignificant sinking funds, 150 years. The honorable minister was sure that honorable members would regard the sinking fund in future as a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night, and that if they kept it in sight and did not allow themselves to be led away by the pessimisms of his honorable friends, the sinking fund would lead them in time to the promised land of no debt, where there would always be a Liberal administration of peace, retrenchment and reform, and where the greatest of these, especially if you had no majority to speak of, would always be retrenchment.

It was a rosy picture of contentment and prosperity which was painted today by Hon. Minister of Finance MacLean. He conveyed it to the members with much confidence and judiciously, with confidence, and he was accorded a respectful hearing and a friendly verdict for his initial statement as chancellor of the Provincial exchequer. He announced that there would be no change in taxation this year. He proclaimed a saving of one million dollars in the expenditures. He had nothing but praise for the income tax, which he thought was the fairest tax of all, and which would produce four million dollars. Of the nineteen millions of taxation, only eight millions was a direct tax on the people, the minister held; and he found grounds for congratulation in the fact that the mines, timber and fisheries of the Province, producing forty per cent of all taxes, were not owned by the people of the Province, but largely by outsiders, and that consequently the people of the Province were not suffering under that particular burden. "I wish the honorable minister had not dragged that in," commented the member for Mary Todd Island. "Some callous logician of the Opposition is bound to figure it out that we should be much better off if the entire Province were owned down in New York."

### Rum-Runners Are Caught in Local Waters by Cutter

SEATTLE, Nov. 17.—Caught running liquor from Canada, two men were arrested today by customs agents and taken to Roche Harbor, according to a brief long distance telephone report to Collector of Customs Mr. Millard T. Hartson. Mr. A. C. McDonald, deputy United States marshal, left for Roche Harbor immediately to bring the prisoners to Seattle. The boat used by the rum runners was of the small speed boat type, of which several have been completed lately by coast-guard forces under Captain F. G. Dodge. Report of the arrests did not include a statement of how much liquor was seized, Collector Hartson said.

Pioneer Engineer Dead  
WINNIPEG, Nov. 17.—George T. Lapointe, sixty-eight, pioneer construction engineer of the West, and a resident of Winnipeg for the last thirty years, died Saturday. Born at Point Lewis, Que., Mr. Lapointe came to the West in 1881, and built the Royal Northwest Mounted Police barracks at Regina.

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### EXEMPTION PROVIDED BY RACE TRACK BILL

Order-in-Council Would Permit More  
Than Week's Racing as Men-  
strues Stand at Present

Attorney-General Manson's race-track bill, introduced in the Legislature yesterday, limits race meetings to six days on each of the five tracks on the Lower Mainland and Vancouver Island, but provides for exemptions from application of the act by order-in-council.

Several minor amendments to the Forest Act were introduced by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, chief of which is that which makes those who have been given permits to set fire liable for the cost to the Forest Branch of extinguishing such fires when they go beyond the limits set in the permit. Mr. Manson also introduced an amendment to the Conditional Sales Act, and Hon. E. D. Barrow presented a bill amending the Creameries and Dairies Regulation Act.

### HOUSE MAY BEGIN DOUBLE SITTINGS

In moving that the House hold two sittings each day unless otherwise so ordered, Premier Oliver informed the new members of the Legislature yesterday that such a motion did not mean that the double shift would be in operation from now until the end of the session. It was not the intention of the Government to rush

through the legislation it had on its schedule.

Mr. R. H. Pooley, Opposition leader, wanted to know from the Premier that there would be no "rail-roading" through of important legislation. It was all very well, he declared, to talk about being home for Christmas, but the business of the Province must be protected. This assurance was given by the Premier.

Major Richard Burde, Liberal, wanted an assurance from the Premier that there would be no sitting on Friday, the occasion of the annual "Gendarmes' Ball," under the auspices of the Victoria Police Department. The attention of Mr. Speaker Buchanan was called to the requirements of the Speaker warning the House three times before a vote was to be taken. Mr. R. H. Pooley raised the question. After complying with the rule when three minor bills came up, Hon. Mr. Buchanan complained of being "tongued-tied."

Robert Ritchie Dead

PRINCE RUPERT, Nov. 17.—J. F. Ritchie, well-known mining man, has received word of the death of his son, Robert, in a New York hospital. Deceased was born in Roseland 27 years ago and served in the aviation corps during the war. He was taken ill upon his arrival in New York from London, England.

Prince Edward Island Foes

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## City and District

**Navy League Chapter**—A meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., will take place at 2:45 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Hanley Building.

**Army and Naval Officers**—Army and naval officers attending British Columbia's Birthday Ball tomorrow evening at the Empress Hotel are requested to do so in uniform.

**Lighthouse Shower**—A light-house shower and silver tea will be given by the Ladies' Guild for Sailors at the Connaught Seamen's Institute on Thursday afternoon. A programme of music has been arranged to enhance the pleasure of the function.

**To Discuss Motor Tax**—Stage, sightseeing and taxi drivers will hold a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium tonight at 8 p.m. to talk over the proposed tax on motor cars, principally the suggested levy of \$500 per annum on machines carrying more than eight passengers.

**Prophecy Study Tonight**—"The Bible Prophecy Study" will be the subject for discussion by the Bible Prophecy Study group at the Church of the Episcopate, Blanshard and Humboldt Streets today at 8 p.m. All will be welcome.

**Victoria West P.T.**—A meeting of the Victoria West Parent-Teachers' Association will be held in the assembly hall of the school today at 8 p.m. Cap. A. M. Boyd, of the High School, will speak and Mr. Percy Edmonds and Miss Ethel Edwards will sing. The public will be welcome.

**Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter**—The regular meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held today at the home of Mrs. Ivel, 59 Wellington Avenue, at 8 o'clock. Final arrangements will be made for the bazaar to be held on December 6. Members are asked to take their sewing.

**Tennis Club Dance**—The Armada Tennis Club will hold a dance at the K. of C. Hall, Government Street, on November 23, with Ozard's Orchestra in attendance from 8 to 12 o'clock. These dances are attended by a large number of club members and their friends and are most enjoyable events.

**Dean to Lecture**—A public lecture will be given in the Christ Church Cathedral Memorial Hall on Thursday by the Very Rev. Dean Qualington, M.A., D.D., on "What Can Literature Give to Me?" The chair will be taken by Mr. K. C. Symons, M.A., at 8 p.m. Admission will be free.

**Poppy Ball Profile**—The Great War Veterans' Association has forwarded cheques to the St. Joseph's and Jubilee Hospitals of \$100.00 and \$100.00, respectively, covering their portion of the profits from the fourth annual G.W.V.A. poppy ball held on Armistice Night at the Empress Hotel.

**Women's Liberal-Conservative**—The regular educational meeting of the Women's Liberal-Conservative Club will be held in the Club rooms, Campbell Building, on Tuesday evening, November 18, at 8 p.m. Mr. J. M. Jones, M.P.P. for South Okanagan, will address the meeting. All members and their friends are cordially invited to be present.

**Violated Regulations**—R. C. Penbridge was fined \$15 by the police court yesterday on a charge of not observing due care in the driving of his auto on St. Charles Street, coming up the street from Fairview direction, at Pemberton Road a collision with persons proceeding along the latter street was narrowly avoided, according to the evidence produced.

**Eudorse Proposals**—The directors of the Chamber of Commerce at the meeting yesterday endorsed the recommendations of the Committee of that body against the practice of disturbing the peace by shouting or loud music as they are landed at the wharves, and also in favour of the marking of the streets of the city so that strangers might locate the streets with less trouble.

**Acquitted of Charge**—The case of Rex vs. McNaughton was disposed of in the county court yesterday. In this charge of seduction was laid. The hearing has been postponed from time to time and finally came up yesterday before Judge McIntosh. Mr. M. B. Jackson, K.C., for the defence, appeared for the accused. The accused was acquitted.

**Singing in Seattle**—At the invitation of Mrs. Bentley, the musical convention of the Sunset Club, Seattle, Mrs. Harry Briggs is going over in February to give the complete programme for the society at its regular February meeting. Incidentally this will be the last of their season's monthly programmes, so that Mrs. Briggs will close their 1924-1925 season.

**Equinault Police Court**—Six juveniles appeared in the Equinault police court on charges of breaking into the Equinault Golf Clubhouse and summer residences on Victoria View Road and stealing various articles. Two of the boys figuring in the clubhouse exploit were sent to the industrial school and two others were given twelve months' suspended sentence. Those who entered the other houses were let off with a warning.

**How London Lives**—"How London Lives" is the title of an illustrated lecture that Rev. J. Williams Ogden,

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## TORY CONVENTION OPENS AT TORONTO

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"That Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen be honorary president of such association," said the speaker.

That the Liberal-Conservative Association of Canada consist of the president, five vice-presidents, two of whom shall be women, a secretary and assistant secretary, a treasurer, all to be selected by this conference, and twenty-one male and twenty-one female representatives from the nine provinces, to be selected by the Central Conservative Association now existing in each province.

"The Western provinces will be represented as follows: British Columbia, two males and two females; Alberta, two males and two females; Saskatchewan, two males and two females; Manitoba, two males and two females."

"That the body created confer from time to time with the Dominion organization."

**Morning Session**  
Preliminary speeches and appointment of a special committee to draft appeal for the formation of a national organization, occupied the opening session of the Liberal-Conservative convention here today. Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, Opposition Leader, was given an ovation when he entered the conference chamber in which representatives from every province in the Dominion were seated.

In calling the meeting to order, the chairman, Mr. J. L. McNichol, Toronto, gave a brief outline of the movement which had resulted in the convening of the convention.

Each province had approved the proposal for such a convention and had sent delegates vested with authority to speak for the various provincial organizations in the Dominion, which were to decide whether a national association of the Liberal-Conservative Party should be formed or whether a national committee should first be named to proceed more leisurely with the work of organization.

One thing which Ontario had to suggest as the main object of the convention, said Mr. McNichol, was whether steps should be taken to build up a Conservative press in Canada on a larger scale than had existed in Canada since the days of the Union Government.

Ontario also suggested, he said, a fund for provincial organization in a general way apart from the special purpose of election.

**Party Strong in Quebec**  
Hon. L. G. Bole, Quebec, delivering the keynote address, declared that no matter what decision the convention reached, the main object was organization. He spoke of the strengthening of the Conservative Party in Quebec since the last general election. The Timonist election, although lost by the party, had proved that the Conservatives in Quebec were very strong.

R. L. Maitland, K.C., representing R. H. Hooley, leader of the Conservative Party in British Columbia, said that his province felt very keenly the necessity for higher tariffs in Canada. The present Government's policy of reduced tariffs was inimical to the interests of British Columbia. The results of the United States election illustrated the hopelessness of looking for reduced tariff barriers to the United States. The much talked of imaginary line between Canada and the United States might be only an imaginary line between Mackenzie King, but it was a wall of China to Coolidge. The Yale by-election, he thought, illustrated British Columbia's attitude to the Government's present policy.

George Cruise, of Saskatchewan, said that things did not seem very bright just now for the Conservative Party in his province. But the steady increase of trade between Eastern and Western Canada was a healthy sign and the popularity of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen in Saskatchewan was encouraging.

**Peculating Teller Drow**  
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VANCOUVER, Nov. 17.—Edward J. Logue, eighteen-year-old teller, pleaded guilty in police court to the theft of \$3,000 from his employers, the Canada Permanent Mortgage Company, and was remanded for one week. When sentence will be pronounced, it was brought out that Logue received a salary of \$750 a year and that, falling into the company of youths with more money, he lived beyond his means.

**Rockland, Me., Nov. 17.**—One man is dead, a second is in a hospital here suffering from shock and exposure, and fears were expressed tonight for the safety of seven other members of the crews of a string of three barges, one of which foundered off Monhegan Island today in the 70-mile gale that swept this coast. The two other barges were adrift in the heavy seas tonight.

**THE WEATHER**  
Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., November 17, 1924.  
SYNOPSIS  
The barometer is falling on the Northern Coast, and cloudy, mild weather prevails over this Province. Clear, mild weather is general in the Pacific Provinces.

|                | Min. | Max. |
|----------------|------|------|
| Victoria       | 45   | 50   |
| Vancouver      | 45   | 50   |
| Kamloops       | 35   | 40   |
| Barcelo        | 35   | 40   |
| Prince Rupert  | 35   | 40   |
| Revelstoke     | 35   | 40   |
| Calgary        | 35   | 40   |
| Edmonton       | 35   | 40   |
| Winnipeg       | 35   | 40   |
| Portland, Ore. | 35   | 40   |
| Seattle, Wash. | 35   | 40   |
| Portland, Me.  | 35   | 40   |
| Boston         | 35   | 40   |
| Chicago        | 35   | 40   |
| Grand Forks    | 35   | 40   |
| Bellevue       | 35   | 40   |
| Kamlo          | 35   | 40   |
| Edmonton       | 35   | 40   |
| Prince Albert  | 35   | 40   |

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Maximum ..... 51  
Minimum ..... 45  
Average ..... 47  
Minimum on the ground ..... 42  
Bright sunshine, 3 hours, 24 minutes  
Rain, trace  
General state of the weather, clear.

**MONDAY**  
Maximum ..... 45  
Minimum ..... 40  
Average ..... 42  
Minimum on the ground ..... 35  
Bright sunshine, 3 hours, 24 minutes  
Rain, trace  
General state of the weather, clear.

**5:00 P.M. Weather Reports**  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N.E., 1 mile; cloudy.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
Barcelo—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S.W., 1 mile; cloudy.  
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
Revelstoke—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
Calgary—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
Seattle, Wash.—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.  
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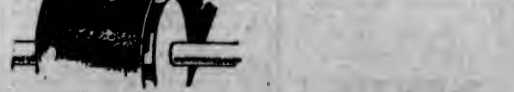
**Prussia's Uncrowned King Dead**  
BERLIN, Nov. 17.—Ernst Von Heydebrand, leader of the Conservative party in the days of the empire and known as the uncrowned king of Prussia, died today at the age of seventy-four.

**Three Killed in Trolley Crash**  
REDONDO BEACH, Cal., Nov. 17.—Three Mexicans were killed and three seriously injured today, when a Pacific Electric Interurban car bound from the beach to Los Angeles struck a gasoline hauler on which a dozen or more section hands were riding.

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## Vancouver Island

### JAW IS FRACTURED IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

Nanaimo Butcher Hurt When Truck  
Rolls Down Embankment—  
Ten Others Escape

NANAIMO, Nov. 17.—While attempting to make the turn off Wallace Street onto Comox Road this morning, a Ford truck plunged over the embankment and rolled down on to Mill Street.

Ten persons in the car escaped with minor injuries and bruises, with the exception of Mr. Wm. Cannon, butcher for Mitchell's Farmers' Market, who received a dislocated jaw and several cuts.

Thomas Cannon was cut about the head and face and lost the left wrist sustained a fracture of the left wrist. The people in the car had attended an early morning wedding here. While driving down the hill to the boat to see the bride and groom off on their wedding tour, the driver, A. Hogg, failed to make the turn off Wallace Street to Comox Road.

The car plunged down the embankment some forty feet, turning two complete somersaults and landing on Mill Street.

Two of the injured were taken to the hospital. Three other members of the party were injured more or less but are receiving treatment in their homes.

### Parksville Masquerade Proves Great Success

PARKSVILLE, Nov. 16.—The armistice masquerade dance which was held in the Errington War Memorial Hall, was one of the most successful of the season. The originality and beauty of the many costumes made the judging most difficult, and it was not until the revelers had circled the hall many times that the judges were able to come to a final decision. With Mrs. A. Strouger, of Craigie Crossing, winning first ladies prize. Her dainty costume "If Winter Comes Can Spring Be Far Behind," well deserved it. Mr. Bob Rushton carried off the first for gentlemen, making a very gallant cavalier. The comic prize winner, Mrs. Osborne, of Errington, was very popular as the well-known film favorite, "Felix the Cat." So many costumes were deserving of prizes that three extras were given. Mrs. Marsh, of Nanaimo, made a delightful second "Little Bo Peep," Miss Faith MacDonald of Comox, coming next as a fascinating basket of flowers, and Mr. Pat Docker, of Parksville, representing the wooden soldier, was perfect, winning second gentlemen's prize. The judges, Brig.-General and Mrs. Money, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Brice, Mrs. L. T. Davis, and Mr. Russell Taylor, had no easy task in awarding the various prizes and great credit is due them in their decisions.

The Novelties orchestra, of Nanaimo, performed in splendid style, and so much was the enjoyment that they were persuaded to play until 2 a.m., when the revelers were being loath to go. Among many of the following were noticed: Brig.-General and Mrs. Noel Money, Col. and Mrs. Nigel Boulton, Major and Mrs. R. Hodgson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Newnham, Mr. and Mrs. P. Rushton, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Weld, Captain and Mrs. Valdie, Mr. and Mrs. P. Trill, Mr. and Mrs. G. Abernethy, Mr. and Mrs. R. Trice, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. and A. D. Brad-dock, Mr. and Mrs. B. Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. and Andrew Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Hallen, Mrs. B. Harrison, Mrs. L. T. Davis, Mrs. Wm. Lee, Mrs. MacNeill, Mrs. G. Nicklin, Mrs. R. Rushton, Mrs. G. Nicklin, Mrs. G. Ashdown, D. MacNeill, B. Weld, G. Kitching, E. and C. Bernard, A. Fleming.

### BAZAAR NETS PROFIT

COURTENAY, Nov. 16.—The semi-annual bazaar held in Booth's Hall under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Anglican Church, was opened at 2:30 by the Rev. J. W. Filinton. The bazaar was well attended and netted the very creditable amount of \$117.

### CLOSED SEASON ON FRASER SALMON

DOMINION FISHERIES DEPT. Calls Ban in District No. 1—Hundred Permits Are Issued

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Nov. 17.—No salmon of any variety may be taken in the Fraser River, or waters in fisheries district No. 1, after 5 p.m. Tuesday, November 18, by the terms of a notice issued from the Dominion Fisheries office here. Discretion is vested in the Fisheries Service officials to decide whether fish remain fit for food purposes and in the present case reports from inspectors have shown that the percentage of salmon showing signs of softness has increased rapidly.

### GIANT PILE DRIVER STARTS OPERATIONS

VANCOUVER, B.C., Nov. 17.—The giant pile driver Taylor second, of the Sydney E. Jenkins Company, started operations at the Canadian Pacific pier B-C, Friday, after inspection and tests of the big machine had been completed. From now on the huge pile driver, which is claimed to be the largest in operation in the world, will be driving concrete piles ranging from ten to thirty-five tons in weight, for the abutment of the pier. The screw which carries the driver is 1,000 ft. in diameter and was built by the Wallace Shipyard, Vancouver. It is one of the largest ever built on the coast. The work of assembling the machinery on the pier driver has been going on for some weeks and officials of the construction company report that she will be steadily engaged from now on.

Pierpoint Morgan's Widow Dead  
HIGHLAND FALLS, N.Y., Nov. 17. Mrs. Frances P. Morgan, widow of J. P. Morgan, died at her home last night. Mrs. Morgan, who was eighty-two years old, suffered a stroke ten days ago, followed by pneumonia. She had been unconscious for four days.

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All-Wool Heather Mixture Hose. With and without clocks, in contrasting colors, wide hemmed tops and well reinforced feet. A splendid wearing hose and just the right weight for Fall wear. In mixtures of brown, green and ivory. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair. \$1.00

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Scotch Curtain Nets. Durable Quality Scotch Curtain Nets in neat patterns; will make very attractive curtains. Per yard. 35¢

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Fine Nets with border effects and scalloped edges. Per yard. 50¢

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French Flannel Collars. In tuxedo style, suitable for wearing with coat frocks; shown in cut work designs, also plain trimmed with lace or bound with silk braid. Prices. 75¢, \$1.00 and \$1.25

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In plain and fancy mesh, with dainty designs on border; come in black, brown, navy, taupe, pearl and tan. Prices. 75¢, \$1.00 and \$1.25

### New Handbags at Popular Prices

Novelty Handbags. In pouch shape, with inside mirror; strong clasp and double strap handle; shown in navy, royal, brown, sand, also black. Price. \$2.00

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In pouch shape, fitted with inside purse and mirror, strong frame and clasp, in brown, navy and black. Price. \$3.75

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In novelty styles, nicely lined inside and fitted with change purse and mirror; come in black, navy and brown. Price. \$5.50

### Pure Wool Vests

Button front style, sizes 2 months to 3 years. \$1.25

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Button front style, sizes 3 months to 3 years. \$1.25

### Flannel Bands

Lovely soft quality. Price, 25¢

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In best quality English flannel, buttonhole and hemstitched. Prices. \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.98

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### Shortening Dresses

In finest lawn or cotton voile, trimmed with colored satin ribbon. They are wide and lovely assortment to choose from. Sizes 6 months to 2 years. Prices. \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.50

### Wool Jackets

Main or fancy knit, trimmed with crocheted edge and satin ribbon. Prices. \$1.65, \$1.95 and \$2.50

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Union flannelette pyjamas of good wearing quality. Full cut and made with military stand collar, one breast pocket, and one breast pocket. All sizes. Price, suit. \$3.50

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Made from excellent quality flannelette in 1-piece style, without collar, finished with a pearl button and one breast pocket; edges bound with tape. Come in a good assortment of good washing patterns. All sizes. Price, per suit. \$3.50

### English Lamba Pyjamas

Good Wearing English Lamba Pyjamas in all the wanted patterns. Made with military or polo collar and one breast pocket, finished with a pearl button. Cut good and roomy. All sizes. Price, suit. \$4.00

### Boys' English Sailor Suits

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Tailored from all-wool rough blue serge, regulation cut middie blouse with detachable collar of fast blue cotton. Front of all-wool cream flannel; emblem on sleeve. Straight knicker pants, with lining of strong twill cotton. Each suit complete with lanyard and whistle. Sizes to fit boys 3 to 9 years. A Hudson's Bay \$5.00

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5-Piece Stamped Teacloth Sets. Of white needleweave, 36-inch cloth and four napkins to match; 3 different designs. \$1.25

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Library Scarves. Of tan crash, simple designs, size 18 x 45. Price, each. 85¢

Cushion Covers to Match. Price. 80¢

Combing Capes. Of white terry towelling, requiring very little work to complete garment. 85¢

—Mezzanine Floor

### Today's Special Offerings in Drug Sundries

Hair Brushes, solid back and good bristle, at. 97¢

Estad Lemon Cream, large jar. 80¢

Allenbury's Baby Food, No. 1. 80¢

Allenbury's Baby Food, No. 2. 80¢

Horlick's Hospital Malt. 80¢

Virol, \$1.00 value. 45¢

California Syrup of Figs, 45¢ value. 25¢

11-B Syrup of Figs, 35¢ value. 25¢

Lavonis, 50¢ value. 45¢

Zonite, for infected gums. 90¢

Kennedy's Tonic. 95¢

Wampole's Tasteless Cod Liver Oil. \$1.00

Kepler's Malt and Cod Liver Oil. \$1.15

Hydrogen Peroxide, large size for. 60¢

Wampole's Milk of Magnesia. 25¢ and 50¢

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### Fruits for Christmas Baking

California Seeded Raisins in bulk, per lb. 10¢

California Seedless Raisins in bulk, per lb. 12¢

Sun-Maid and Del Monte Brand Seeded Muscat Raisins, per pkg. 14¢

3 pkgs. for. 40¢

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3 pkgs. for. 40¢

Very Fancy Sulphur Bleached Sultana Raisins, per lb. 20¢

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3 lbs. for. 40¢

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## Social Events

### The Dramatists

The programme of yesterday's Dramatists presented at the Empress Hotel was varied as it was charming, and the different selections were all remarkably well received by the audience. Capt. Thorpe-Double, R.N., made a few introductory remarks on Shaw's "St. Joan," the fourth scene of which, read by himself, Mr. Dodge and Major Bullock-Webster, opened the programme. Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake was accorded a warm ovation after her two solos, "Nymphs et Sylvains" (Hemmer) and "Early Dawn" (Graham Peck), the accompaniments being artistically played by Mrs. Hebdon Gillespie. Five men, Capt. Hugh Allan, Messrs. J. W. Davis, E. S. Fisher, V. R. Carver and Major Bullock-Webster, read with great success Davidson's poem, "The Runaway Stag," after which Mr. Jack Moss, whose singing shows exceptional promise, and who will, undoubtedly, attain a very high place in musical circles, sang two solos, "Invictus" and "The Fairy Dawn," when Mrs. A. J. Gibson played the accompaniments with her usual sympathetic touch. The Dramatists were brought to a close with a very amusing little

sketch, "In and Out of a Punt," the cast being Mrs. Aldous and Major Bullock-Webster.

### Silver Tea

A very successful silver tea was held at the home of Mrs. Percy Hale on Thursday by members of the Ladies' Bowling Club. The rooms were prettily decorated with masses of chrysanthemums. The following programme was much enjoyed by the visitors: Organ and piano duets, by Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Holmes; songs by Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Holmes; songs by Mrs. Margaret Wilson; piano and mandolin duet by Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. Hale; piano solos by Miss Jackson. A guessing contest was won by Miss M. Wilson. Mrs. Vallance and Mrs. Hale acted as hostesses, and refreshments were served by Mrs. Byng, Mrs. Pass and Mrs. Hallam. A candy stall, effectively decorated with the club colors, was presided over by Mrs. Monaghan. The following ladies were present: Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Byng, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Heights, Mrs. Huddleston, Mrs. Huddleston, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Hallam, Mrs. Monaghan, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Pass, Mrs. Renfrew, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. McDonald, Miss Duncan, Miss Wilson, Miss Vallance, Mrs. Vallance and others.

bert provided other delightful incidents in the informal programme by adding some violin, piano and vocal selections to her own collection. The guests included Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Allison, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. George Simpson, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. McCune, Mrs. Harmon, Mrs. Pontifex, Mrs. Church, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. Nixon, Mrs. Calderwood, Mrs. Pottinger, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Speck, Mrs. Kingham, Mrs. Colman, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Bridham, Mrs. Kunz and Miss McNeill.

### Hostess at Social

Mrs. Arthur Beadle, 137 Ladysmith Street, was hostess at a most delightful social evening at her home on Saturday evening. After a social time spent in games and dancing, refreshments were daintily served by Mrs. Beadle, assisted by Mrs. Latham and Mrs. Bradley. Among those present were Mrs. Latham, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Shand, Mrs. Mainwaring, Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Beadle, Misses Elsie Smith, Addy Wright, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Winkler, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Hunter and E. Garrett, Messrs. Latham, Whitworth, Mainwaring, Garrett, G. Hunter, J. Latham, J. Barnes, C. Wright, A. Bradley and L. Bradley.

**Grand Carnival**  
Guests playing bridge and mah jong at the Carnival Ball tomorrow night at the Empress Hotel are reminded to bring their own cards, score pads and pencils, also mah jong sets. Play will begin promptly at 9 o'clock in the private dining-room and players are requested to be on time. Refreshments will be served in the palm and dining-rooms at special reduced rates to all guests attending the ball.

### Returns to Seattle

Miss Helene Elliott and Miss Eileen Haslam, who have been visiting the city for the past week, the guests of Mrs. Elliott's aunt, Mrs. W. E. Loe, 1031 Richmond Avenue, left on Sunday to resume their duties at the Columbus Sanitarium, Seattle.

### Honors Mrs. Laird

Mrs. Robert Laird, of Victoria, who is visiting Mrs. Alvin Denbigh, of Vancouver, was the guest of honor at the tea-hour recently, when her hostess entertained at her home on Marguerite Avenue.

### From Seattle

Mr. Grant Ryder and her daughter, Mrs. Youle, and her small son John Joe, of Seattle, are visitors in the city and are the guests of Mrs. Ryder's brother, Mr. J. A. Virtue, Oak Bay Hotel.

### Returns to Seattle

After spending the week-end in the city to visit his daughter, Miss Kathleen Gillespie, who is a student at St. Margaret's School, Mr. Robert Gillespie returned to Seattle on Sunday afternoon.

### Compliments Mrs. Robb

Complimenting Mrs. Robb, of Victoria, who is visiting Vancouver, Mrs. A. A. McCune entertained about fifty guests at a dinner and dance at Faircourt recently.

### Returns Home

After spending the last few days in Oak Bay, the guest of Mrs. J. H. Waggoner, Mrs. Percy Foster has returned to her home in Vancouver.

### Goes to Vancouver

Mrs. A. M. Skell, of Vancouver, who has been the guest of Mrs. Lorne Campbell, 81 Charles Street, for the past few weeks, has returned to her home.

### Returns to Duncan

After visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. M. Tait, of Portage Inlet, Mrs. J. L. Tait has returned to her home at Duncan.

### Visits Sister

Mrs. L. R. V. York, of Victoria, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leale Gault, Vancouver, for a few days.

### Here for Week-End

After spending the week-end in Victoria, Miss Olive Kilpatrick has returned to her home in Vancouver.

### GOLDEN JUBILEE BAZAAR

Great preparations have been made by the Ladies' Aid of the Church of Our Lord Reformed Episcopal for the golden jubilee bazaar to be held this afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock in the schoolroom adjoining the church.

The numerous stalls, amongst which will be found artistic fancy work for which the ladies are noted, plain and useful articles, stall for quick-selling bargains, novelty, antique, home cooking, fun for the children and, sweetest of all, home-made candy, have been most attractively decorated and abundantly provided with enticing and captivating wares.

The bazaar will be a bright and cheery place to pass the afternoon, renewing old acquaintances while enjoying a refreshing and fragrant cup of afternoon tea.

### Settle Small Estate

TORONTO, Nov. 17.—What may be the concluding chapter over the estate of Ambrose Small was settled in the chamber of Mr. Justice Lennox today when His Lordship granted an order to Florence and Gertrude, sisters of the missing millionaire, directing that the sum of \$200,000 be paid out of their behalf by the Capital Trust Corporation and Mrs. Theresa Small.

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## SURPLUS SHOWN IN B.C. BUDGET

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### A Sagacious Mind

Dr. MacLean's Budget speech stamped him as the possessor of perhaps the best political and most sagacious mind in the Oliver cabinet today. During his long term as chief of the Provincial Secretary's office and as Minister of Education and Health, the former member for Greenwood, now of Yale, demonstrated his ability to steer the Government's financial ship of state in safe channels.

As indicating the Government's attitude to the further demands by the municipalities, the Finance Minister in his speech maintained that the municipalities received grants from the Provincial Government amounting to 23 1/2 per cent of the total revenue receipts; that the grants to municipalities for the year 1923-24 amounted to \$394,314.33 more than was collected within municipal boundaries, and that Provincial revenue receipts had increased since 1914 139 per cent, and that municipal grants by the Province had increased 226 per cent.

The cost of education in municipalities has increased 103 per cent since 1917 and Provincial grants to municipalities which could be used for educational purposes have increased 165 per cent during the same period.

"The fiscal system of the Province in so far as it relates to taxation should be revised from the point of party politics," claimed Dr. MacLean, who further stated that the era of large capital expenditures was past and that it was not anticipated that the gross debt of British Columbia would be materially increased beyond its present figure.

### No Change in Taxation

"There will be no change in taxation this year," the Minister stated. Referring to industrial developments, Dr. MacLean said that in 1916 21,054 persons were employed as compared to 75,000 in 1923. Unemployment had increased 235 per cent; wages paid, 633 per cent.

Referring to the natural resources of the Province, the Provincial assets over all Provincial liabilities on March 31, 1924, were \$25,935,110.25. Capital liabilities over capital assets were shown as \$6,769,144.92, as against an excess liability of \$7,986,034.25 for the previous year, or an improved condition of \$1,216,889.33. Capital liabilities for debenture issues were increased by \$3,000,000 by the issue and sale of securities of the Province, but were reduced by the annual payment of \$9,700 on the British Columbia House mortgage, leaving a net increase in capital liabilities of \$2,990,320.

The public debt of the Province as at November 1, 1923, amounted to \$74,400,000. Since that time debentures totalling \$10,042,300 have been issued and sold. In addition there have been issued treasury bills to the extent of \$3,925,000. From this total Dr. MacLean subtracted a sum of \$7,659,700 as being wiped out in conversion of treasury bills and refunded debentures; thus new debentures for the year amounted to \$80,668,000, leaving the gross debt as at November 1, 1924, \$76,759,861.

### The Net Debt

To strike the net debt of British Columbia as at November 1, 1924, the Minister, including the minor profits, amounted to \$2,425,832.16, or an increase of 165 per cent.

The Budget shows decreases in the Departments of Agriculture, Attorney-General, Education, Finance, Lands, Public Works, Railways and Public Accounts. Increases in the estimates are shown in Public Debt, Legislation, Labor, and the Provincial Secretary.

### Per Capita Debt

Dealing with per capita debt of the Province, Dr. MacLean declared that while each person was carrying an amount totalling \$146.39, dividends were being earned by a portion of it amounting to \$29.04. Also, a debt reduction fund in the Province of the Government totalling \$27.90 per capita. The real per capita debt that affected the taxpayers, he said, was the net debt, which amounted to but \$79.35 per capita. A tabulated statement contained in the Budget, showed that the per capita debt for the P.O.E. alone totalled \$35.85.

"Careful study of these figures," he declared, "will show that the debts incurred by this Government were largely made in connection with the legacy of the railway policy that was left us and in debt which may be considered the aftermath of the war. I refer to the Land Settlement Board, Housing Act, Soldiers' Land Act and the Department of Industries, which represent a total of \$12,983,043."

The expenditure on irrigation had totalled \$2,909,540, Dr. MacLean added, and the money had been spent in an effort to renegeate the sinking prime irrigation projects in the interior dry belt. Ample justification for these loans, he claimed, was given in the fact that the fruit production had increased from \$2,647,242 in 1917, to \$4,712,549 in 1923. The growth in motor car traffic had created a heavy demand for road construction and maintenance, no less than \$17,198,545 having been spent on roads since 1917.

Further heavy demands had been made for institutions, he said, mentioning the Industrial School for Boys, the Boys' Industrial School, the School for the Blind, the Home for Incurables, the Mental Hospital and the Tranquille Sanitarium. The increase in the amount spent in hospitals and similar institutions since 1917 had been made for institutions, he said, mentioning the Industrial School for Boys, the Boys' Industrial School, the School for the Blind, the Home for Incurables, the Mental Hospital and the Tranquille Sanitarium. The increase in the amount spent in hospitals and similar institutions since 1917 had been made for institutions, he said, mentioning the Industrial School for Boys, the Boys' Industrial School, the School for the Blind, the Home for Incurables, the Mental Hospital and the Tranquille Sanitarium.

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## Dr. MacLean Predicts No Increase in Debt Of British Columbia

"Looking to the possible future requirements of British Columbia, I think it is safe to say that our debt will not increase much beyond its present figure," stated Hon. J. D. MacLean in his Budget speech. "Our maturing falling due within the next three or four years, for which sinking funds have been provided, will no doubt be offset by new issues for our requirements for roads, the completion of the University and other works now in hand; but I do not anticipate that our debt will increase unless something very unforeseen transpires, materially over its present amount, within the next few years."

"We can therefore look forward to a period of comparative freedom from these heavy expenditures, excepting for such extensions of existing facilities as the development of the Province will demand."

"The one thing that British Columbia is vitally in need of is population, and it has been the endeavor of the Government to make expenditure to facilitate settlement and the development of the latent resources at our command, as well as providing the means for the marketing of our mineral wealth, the produce of the land, fisheries and lumbering."

for every unit of the population of the Province.

The budget shows in its analysis of revenue for the fiscal year 1923-24 that amounts were secured from the following sources: Natural Resources and Industries, \$6,626,736.10; Licenses and Poll Tax, \$1,593,347.88; Making a total revenue from direct taxation of \$7,920,083.98, or a percentage of 40.40 of total receipts. Natural Resources, Fees and Royalties, \$3,215,041.13; Sales of Natural Resources and Government Property, \$7,422,223.95; Fees and Services Rendered, \$713,384.15; Grants and Subventions, \$331,212.37; Miscellaneous Receipts and Funds, \$1,569,482.77; Duties, Tolls, Dues, etc., \$1,277,801.52; Returns of Revenue Producing Debt, \$583,448.28, making a total of \$1,978,094.04, or a percentage of 45.48 of total receipts. Luxury or Optional Tax, \$2,770,343.57, a percentage of 14.12, or a grand total of revenue of \$19,238,223.31.

Showing the distribution of revenue to municipalities, Dr. MacLean pointed out that the Government collected \$2,210,024.16, this being divided between collections within municipalities totalling \$2,839,237.16, and in unorganized districts \$1,370,787. Compared to this he stated that municipalities had received \$1,142,551.49, showing a balance returned to municipalities in excess of revenue of \$394,314.33.

The revenue secured from municipalities, according to the Budget, was derived from Motor Taxes, Amusement Tax, Income Tax, Personal Property Tax and Tax on Racing.

### Education Costs

Dealing with education, the Budget stated that the cost of such municipalities in 1923 was \$5,842,510.32, as compared with \$2,902,801.53 in 1917. In the same year provincial grants for education amounted to \$912,104.55, while last year the same grants, including the minor profits, amounted to \$2,425,832.16, or an increase of 165 per cent.

The Budget shows decreases in the Departments of Agriculture, Attorney-General, Education, Finance, Lands, Public Works, Railways and Public Accounts. Increases in the estimates are shown in Public Debt, Legislation, Labor, and the Provincial Secretary.

### Per Capita Debt

Dealing with per capita debt of the Province, Dr. MacLean declared that while each person was carrying an amount totalling \$146.39, dividends were being earned by a portion of it amounting to \$29.04. Also, a debt reduction fund in the Province of the Government totalling \$27.90 per capita. The real per capita debt that affected the taxpayers, he said, was the net debt, which amounted to but \$79.35 per capita. A tabulated statement contained in the Budget, showed that the per capita debt for the P.O.E. alone totalled \$35.85.

"Careful study of these figures," he declared, "will show that the debts incurred by this Government were largely made in connection with the legacy of the railway policy that was left us and in debt which may be considered the aftermath of the war. I refer to the Land Settlement Board, Housing Act, Soldiers' Land Act and the Department of Industries, which represent a total of \$12,983,043."

The expenditure on irrigation had totalled \$2,909,540, Dr. MacLean added, and the money had been spent in an effort to renegeate the sinking prime irrigation projects in the interior dry belt. Ample justification for these loans, he claimed, was given in the fact that the fruit production had increased from \$2,647,242 in 1917, to \$4,712,549 in 1923. The growth in motor car traffic had created a heavy demand for road construction and maintenance, no less than \$17,198,545 having been spent on roads since 1917.

Further heavy demands had been made for institutions, he said, mentioning the Industrial School for Boys, the Boys' Industrial School, the School for the Blind, the Home for Incurables, the Mental Hospital and the Tranquille Sanitarium. The increase in the amount spent in hospitals and similar institutions since 1917 had been made for institutions, he said, mentioning the Industrial School for Boys, the Boys' Industrial School, the School for the Blind, the Home for Incurables, the Mental Hospital and the Tranquille Sanitarium.

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### Financing Policy Marks New Epoch in B.C.: Dr. MacLean

"The financing done during the past year marks an epoch in the history of the Province," stated Hon. J. D. MacLean in his Budget speech yesterday.

"The issue of the 4 1/2 per cent bonds made by the Province last July was the first issue of bonds for this interest made in Canada since 1914. The average cost of the \$3,042,300 sold in July last represents an interest yield of 4.95 per cent, or the lowest price of any Canadian issue during the last decade. I think you will agree with me that this is indisputable evidence of the high esteem in which the securities of the Province are held by the investing public, especially when it is considered that the whole of this issue was placed by the purchasers with investors in less than thirty days from the date of purchase. When these results are compared with the sales of bonds in 1915 and 1916 by the previous Government, where heavy underwriting charges and commissions had to be paid, I think you will agree with me that the financial houses and investing public recognize, in no uncertain way, the sound financial policy of the Government."

been no less than 433 per cent, he affirmed.

**Fund for P.G.E.**  
A striking announcement contained in the Budget speech was that for the first time provision had been made to establish a sinking fund for the original \$14,250,000 bond issue for the P.G.E., which carries the Provincial guarantee. The bonds are for forty years, but have been issued for but twelve years, and the sinking fund as announced by the minister will retire the issue not upon maturity, but in forty years' time.

In reviewing the public debt situation, Dr. MacLean first detailed the changes in the debt which had been made during the current fiscal year. Two of the Hon. John Hart's short-term issues had been refunded at lower interest rates which would effect a total saving to the Province of \$788,413, he said. In addition to these refunding issues, the Government during the past year had sold seven millions' worth of bonds in four issues, of which one million was for roads and one million for University purposes. The other issues were for the purposes of converting treasury bills.

**Belgian-German Treaty**  
BRUSSELS, Nov. 17.—The Belgian Government is reported to have decided to concede Germany most-favored-nation treatment. If the report proves true, it is believed the decision will arouse resentment in France, following on the difficulties, raised by Belgium in enforcing high tariffs without having previously informed France.

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This picture has been sent away to the Prairies and will be on view in the C.P.R. offices throughout the Dominion, after which it will be sent to other countries.

When this picture was on display recently in the C.P.R. office here, it was the subject of much favorable comment, and the opinion that graphic method of advertising would prove effective was general. The picture, which stands in a cabinet, is a photographic relief view of the Parliament Buildings, Empress Hotel, Inner Harbor, C.P.R. Terminals and the Post-office, and is beautifully illuminated by internal lighting.

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**GORDON HEAD W.I.**

Activities of the Gordon Head W.I. last week included a visit to the Victoria Steam Laundry. The members who took advantage of this opportunity spent an instructive and enjoyable afternoon, the courtesy of the management being much appreciated. On Thursday afternoon a pre-school clinic was held under the auspices of the W.I. Seventeen children and their mothers came, which was thought a good attendance. Dr. D. Holmes and the nurses from the Sanich Health Centre were the staff in charge. This clinic was the first of its kind ever held in the district. They will be continued every three months from now on.

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## Candlelight A Thrilling Serial

BY RUBY AYRES

The story thus far:

Minnie and William—William the Third, she adoringly calls him—met at the seaside on a holiday. She is an undeniably plain, awkward little girl of nine, and he is a freckled suburban boy several years older. They struck up a friendship, marked by cordiality on the boy's part, but gradually, as the days passed, the friendship grew into love. Each other. These days, Minnie is that she loves William. William realizes that he loves Minnie, but she is none of the things that he has been brought up to think his wife should be. Peter Labattum meets Minnie and falls in love with her. Though she feels that she loves William, Minnie, feeling that he will never love her, surreptitiously tries to win Peter. After the death of her baby, she writes a book. It is a big success. She sends a copy to William and gets a letter from him saying he has married. Laura, an artist, comes to see her. He tells her he loves her, but she keeps her feelings from him.

### CHAPTER XXVI.

Phantom Voices

Two mornings later there was a letter in William's handwriting lying on the breakfast table when Minnie came downstairs.

She caught it up in a panic, her first instinct to hide it from Peter; then she recovered herself scornfully. Why, how absurd! What could William possibly write to her about that Peter might not see?

But her pulses were jerking uneasily as she opened the letter and read the few formal lines:

"Dear Minnie: It was good to see you again the other day and renew old friendship. My wife is now with me in town, where we have decided to remain for a few days longer, and she joins me in hoping that you and your husband will have dinner with us one evening. Is Saturday night convenient? If so, drop me a line and meet us at the Savoy at 7 o'clock."

"Kindest regards to you both. Yours sincerely,

"WILLIAM WINTER."

Peter came into the room at that moment and Minnie passed the letter to him.

"From William. I told you he wanted to meet you."

Peter scanned the letter and growled:

"Why Saturday night?" he complained. "I dislike going out on a Saturday night."

"We need not go," Minnie said quietly. "I'll write and refuse if you don't want to go."

"The fellow's of no interest to me," Peter complained, "and, anyway, I object to him calling you by your Christian name."

Minnie laughed outright.

"Oh, how absurd! When we were children together."

Peter took up the newspaper.

"Well, I don't want to meet him, anyway."

"Very well."

No more was said, but, conscious of her silence, Peter looked at his wife furtively from time to time from behind his paper.

She looked different somehow, he thought, in his unsuspecting way, and wondered if she was disappointed at his refusal to meet her friends.

He would not have believed it had he been told that the little cold look on Minnie's face was born of the formality of William's letter, when she had almost hoped—half expected: "You are the only woman I have ever loved."

Of course, he had never really said that. They were just words of her own vain imagination; or if he had said them, they had not been meant. How could he love her? Why should he love her?

She had never lost her first childish awe and admiration of William. She still thought of him as someone far above her and entirely wonderful; her love placed him on an

undeserved pedestal, and shut its eyes to his feet of clay.

Peter broke in upon her thoughts abruptly:

"We'll go if you want to, Minnie."

He was faintly amazed at the sudden rush of color to her face and the swift gratitude in her eyes. "Oh, thank you, Peter," she said rather breathlessly.

So they went, though when it came to the point Peter grumbled at having to get into a dinner jacket, and grumbled at having to go at all.

"Why people can't be satisfied to stay in their own home when they've got one, I'm blessed if I can see," he protested. "Wasting money, I call it."

But he relented when they got outside the house, and rose to the extravagance of a taxicab.

"We may as well show them that we know how to do things," he said boyishly. "What's the chap like, by the way?"

Minnie caught her breath.

"Oh, he's very clever!" she said fervently.

Peter grunted.

"Then we certainly shan't hit it," he said with emphasis. "I hate swank."

"William doesn't swank," Minnie said quietly, then stopped, horrified to feel that she should so passionately wish to defend William against Peter's criticism. As recompense she slipped soft little hand into his, and with that action came the swift memory of how William had held her hand on that drive to London.

"I am the only woman I have ever loved," he had said.

If only he had never said it, or if only she could forget it! Her thoughts were an unhappy whirl.

If only she had refused to come tonight! If only even now something would happen to prevent this meeting.

"Where are we?" Peter said, and opened the door. Minnie followed him slowly—her limbs were stiff and her lips cold. She was thinking of the moment when she would see the woman who was William's wife—the moment when she would have to smile and take her hand.

"And I look my plainest, I know I do," she thought in despair. "Then she'll be ever so pretty." Then she looked at Peter, tall and handsome, and serenely indifferent to the coming meeting, and her heart warmed again. At any rate, Peter was good to look at! As they walked through the lounge it gave her a thrill of pride to see that every woman's eyes were directed towards him.

And then she saw William, and back came the dreadful sense of breathless dread and isolation. It was William who was William's wife—the moment when she would have to smile and take her hand.

"I've engaged a table—my wife will meet us there," he looked at Minnie. "You will like to leave your wrap?" She seized upon the opportunity to get away for a moment, and in the shelter of the cloakroom she tried to control her shaking nerves and steady herself.

"You fool! Oh, you poor silly little fool!" she said fiercely to her reflection. "What has happened to you? Why can't you be sensible?"

When she rejoined them Peter and William were talking and laughing, and they all went into the dining room together.

"That is our table—in the corner."

"I thought it would be quieter," William said, and Minnie's eyes went straight to it, and to the woman who sat there.

She was young and beautifully dressed—that was Minnie's first thought; then that she was charmingly pretty; then that she had the bluest eyes she had ever met. William introduced them.

"Minnie, this is my wife."

"Yes," Minnie uttered the little monosyllable unconsciously. She was thinking that William's voice sounded quite differently when he spoke the words "my wife," meaning "this woman, to what it had done when he spoke them that day in the taxi—of her!"

Mrs. Winter rose to her feet with outstretched hand.

"I have heard so much of you from Bill," she said. "I am so pleased to meet you."

But the words were perfunctory, and her hard, beautiful eyes at once went past Minnie to where handsome Peter stood, smiling with faint boredom.

Then they all sat down, and the first awkwardness passed.

William kept most of the conversation in his own hands. He could talk well and interestingly when he chose, and he soon found out that Peter's chief interests lay in the money market and amongst commercial matters.

Minnie was very silent; she hardly spoke unless she was spoken to; she hardly ate anything.

Again and again her eyes sought the charming face of William's wife. Yes, she could well understand why he had chosen her; she must always be pretty to look at, always perfectly self-assured.

Minnie was sure that even as a girl she had never been shy or awkward, and her own face grew hot as she suddenly thought of the terrible Saturday afternoon in her mother's drawing room when she had been forced to recite in front of William and the boy Tankerton.

"Our phantom voices haunt the air as we were still at play. And I can hear them call and say, 'How far is it to Babylon?'"

Ah, far enough, my dear! Far, far enough from here! Yet you have farther gone! Can I get there by candlelight?" So goes the old refrain.

I do not know, perchance you might! But only children hear it right. Ah, never to return again! The eternal dawn beyond a doubt shall break on your plain. And put all stars and candles out. 'Ere we are young again."

Tomorrow—A Chance for a Talk.

**FORESTERS' BAZAAR**

The ladies of Court Triumph, A.O.F., have completed arrangements for their bazaar Wednesday, in the Foresters' Hall. Mrs. B. Miching will open the sale at 3 o'clock. Mrs. B. Law is general convener. Many dainty and inexpensive novelties for Christmas gifts, picture sewing, afternoon tea and a musical programme will be features.

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### DAUGHTERS OF ENGLAND

The regular monthly meeting of the Princess Alexandra Lodge, No. 14, Daughters of England, was held in Harmony Hall Friday evening, W. P. Slater King being in the chair. Four new members were initiated into the order. The social convener, Sister C. Smith, gave a good report on the Halloween dance, showing a balance in hand.

All members are asked to attend the shower for the plain sewing stall to be held at the home of Sister Baker, 415 Jessie Street, Victoria West, on Thursday evening. Each member should bring something. All arrangements are now completed for the annual bazaar, which takes place in November 27 in Harmony Hall.

At the close of the meeting the members spent a social time together over a friendly cup of tea provided by Sister Watson.

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## Alderman Sangster To Run for Council

Announces Intention of Standing for Re-election to Aldermanic Board—Has Served City as Member of Council for Period of Six Years—Mr. Clarence Harris, Anti-Lottery Crusader, Will Stand for Police Commission

ALD. George Sangster last night announced his intention of running for office again on the City Council at the forthcoming elections. With the exception of the year 1922, Ald. Sangster has been a member of the Council continuously since 1918, during which time he has served on practically all the committees subsidiary to that body. He is at present chairman of the public works committee, and a member of the finance, roads, Victoria—Saarich beaches and parks committees, and of the civic court of revision.

Ald. Sangster has lived in the city for the past forty years. For five years he was Reeve of North Saanich. Mr. Clarence Harris, 2988 Douglas Street, last night announced himself as the fourth candidate for the office of police commissioner, which will be vacated by Dr. Ernest Hall this year. Mr. Harris is a contractor by trade.

but he is best known because of his connection with recent anti-lottery crusades in the city, when he headed a campaign against sweepstakes, tomboles and punch board operators. Mr. Harris told The Colonist last night he would shortly issue a statement of the policy he would follow if elected to the Board of Police Commissioners. Candidates for the Police Commission now include, in addition to Mr. Harris, Mr. Thomas Palmer, Mr. W. W. Hall and Mr. W. E. Stansfield.

The City Council last night appointed the following deputy returning officers for the poll, which will be held at the Public Market Building on December 11: Mr. F. H. Willis (police commissioner booth); Mr. J. A. Angus (mayorality booth); and Messrs. Edwin Coventry, J. N. Hopwood, E. S. Coady-Johnson, and Thomas Watson (aldermanic booths). The market will be closed for market purposes on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of election week by virtue of a decision rendered by the Council last night.

No new candidates for the office of mayor came forward yesterday. City Hall officials are of the opinion that Aldermen Sargent and Christie, both of whom have another year to serve on the Council, need not retire in order to run for mayor this year.



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## SPEAKER FORESEES ECONOMIC SOLUTION

Mr. H. G. Perry, M.P.P., Says Peace River District Will Assist Re-habilitation of Country

One of the solutions of rehabilitating the economic condition of Canada, lies in the settling of the great Peace River Valley with a large population, and providing transportation facilities to the Pacific Coast so that the produce of the Peace River Valley may be marketed at a profit, claimed Mr. H. G. Perry, M.P.P., for Fort George and Deputy Speaker of the British Columbia Legislature, in addressing the Victoria Gyro Club yesterday noon.

"The eyes of Canada are at last focused on the Peace River area. I don't know any part of Canada that compares with this district in fertility of soil, climate, and production of grain and cattle. The Peace River country has room for all the settlers that can be sent into it," Mr. Perry asserted.

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## ESQUIMALT ACCEPTS BULLEN PARK GIFT

Council Reserves Right to Sell Portion for Industrial Purpose If Demand Requires

The by-law accepting the gift of the Fitzherbert Bullen Memorial Park to the municipality was given its final reading last night by the Esquimalt Council, and passed. The terms of the by-law provides that the municipality has the power to sell a portion of the property, if demands of industry call for such a course to be pursued.

The fire and lights committee brought forward a suggestion that volunteer fire fighters be organized to assist the fire department in fighting fires in the district, and that several minor purchases for fire fighting equipment be made. The proposals were referred to next year's Council for action.

The Council appointed Reeve Lockley and Councillors Anderson and Meagher, as the Esquimalt committee of revision, and this body will sit at the Municipal Hall, on Wednesday, December 10, at 8 p.m.

Municipal Engineer Bourne informed the Council that the expenditures in his department were \$4,000 in the estimated expenditure for the year.

## AUTO CLUB ENABLED TO ISSUE LICENCES

Meeting With Attorney-General Secures Association Power to Assist Government Department

Following up the recommendations made some time ago to the Attorney-General by the legislative committee of the Automobile Club of B.C., a delegation consisting of President F. G. T. Lucas, George E. Houser (chairman of the legislative committee), Colonel A. W. R. Wilby (president of the Victoria branch), Manager Fred J. Elkins and Secretary R. R. Webb waited on the Hon. A. M. Manson yesterday morning and went carefully into all proposed legislation affecting motor traffic.

It was gratifying to the delegation to hear from the Attorney-General that the major portion of the recommendations of the club had been acted on in legislation to come before the House.

Another important matter taken up was with regard to the issuing of motor licences. During the months of January and February the offices of the motor licence department are naturally very busy, making it necessary for many people to wait some time to be served. This is to be overcome by having licences issued from the offices of the Automobile Club of B.C. well. Licences for drivers will also be available at the offices of the club.

At noon the delegation had lunch at the Chamber of Commerce Restaurant. Mr. N. A. Yarrow, Captain C. I. Harris and Mr. G. S. Merryfield, directors of the club, were also present. An informal meeting was held after lunch, when details of the forthcoming meeting of the Victoria branch were discussed. The meeting will be held in the private dining-room of the Empress Hotel at eight o'clock on Friday evening, November 28, when the president and other members of the executive from Vancouver and Westminster will be present. A splendid programme has been arranged, and it is expected that there will be a big turnout. Motorists who are not members of the club are invited to this meeting to hear what the club has done and proposes to do in the future.

## HAS HIGH PRAISE FOR STEWART CAMP

Mr. Bagshaw Returns From North Convinced Portland Canal District Has Great Future

Mr. C. R. V. Bagshaw, after spending five months in the Stewart district in Northern British Columbia, has returned to Victoria full of enthusiasm at the prospects of the camp.

"On all sides one hears expressions of confidence from people who should know," said Mr. Bagshaw.

Mr. W. H. Trewatha-James, a member of the well-known London mining engineering firm of Messrs. James Bros., gave the following interview to The Portland Canal News September 4: "The camp which I saw in 1910 I now return to, find solidly established. I am particularly pleased with the results being obtained and the high character of the men composing the management of the various properties. I find extensive development being efficiently carried out, and feel that the time has arrived when the district must be taken seriously by the mining interests of the world. The camp has undoubtedly a very promising future, and with sufficient capital for development, more mines will be produced."

## Dunwell Property

"Without doubt a large measure of this stability of the mining industry of Stewart is due to the faith and determination of the Stewart Brothers; they put the Dunwell on the map as a mine and proved to the mining world that the mineral-bearing quartz, under the geological conditions found there, 'goes down'—it is not a mere expiring. The ore also improves in value with depth, as in No. 3 tunnel. No. 4 tunnel of the Dunwell will strike the ore vein at an additional depth of 200 feet. "Since my arrival here a week ago, I have been asked many times. Will the strike ore in No. 4? It has all along been the strong opinion of mining engineers in the district that ore would be found there. Latest information is that the ore body has been struck at over 800 feet, and the find has fulfilled all expectations."

"Therefore as one property has been proved it is highly reasonable to assume that mines will be opened up on other properties, with good prospects of success, especially those having the same geological conditions. This is responsible for the mining activity now in progress and the confidence in the district by the mining interests of the world. From the indications I saw it would not surprise me to see at least six mines shipping ore out of the district next year. This will give employment to a large number of men, and as time goes on, with more mines shipping, a great many more will be employed, with openings for our young college men in the engineering and technical departments, many of whom have had to leave their homes for the

United States. This promising mining district cannot, of course, be opened up without capital. Victoria is supplying at present most of the money for development, somewhat, I believe, to the surprise of our Vancouver friends, who look upon us as people for from enterprising. Victoria people are like those of any other city—those who have a good thing and they will take it. Vancouver wasn't shown. However, she is supplying the foodstuffs and materials for the mines. Why doesn't Victoria get this business?"

## DUNWELL HITS BELL IN FOURTH LEVEL

Big Ore Body Struck as Company Expected—Shipping to Begin With Sleighting Season

The Dunwell Mine at Stewart has struck the big ore body in the number four level. Word was received Sunday night from the mine by the local office to the effect that the vein had been encountered exactly as expected, and that identically the same conditions existed as in number three tunnel. The latest strike confirms the fact that the ore is contained in a true fissure vein. This is indicated by the same geological formation as in the level above.

Mr. Robert Stewart, the managing director of the company, in his message says the walls are true, with graphite on both sides. He adds that they are driving north along the vein. The information is the most encouraging received from the camp. The management has never had any doubt about the striking of the ore in this level. Number four was planned as the main operating tunnel and special care was taken in driving it and ore sorting sheds and bunkers were established at the mouth. The ore was encountered at a distance of 948 feet from the portal.

This latest proving of the property carries with it the assurance of a deep mine. From the number four level the ore has been proved up for a perpendicular height of 1,000 feet or more. This assures easy and economical operation by stoping. It is announced at the local office of the company that shipping will start just as soon as sleighing commences.

## Queen's Are Champions In Intermediate Rugby

TORONTO, Nov. 17.—Queen's University intermediates won the championship of the Intercollegiate Football Union when they trounced the St. Michael's College team here this afternoon by 22 to 2. Queen's won the first game in Kingston 19 to 8 and thus took the round by 41 to 10.

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Retirements: P.-Lieut. D. J. Drane, struck off strength "Resigned," effect 31-7-24.

Appointments: C.S.M. A. P. Green to be P.-Lieut; vacancy caused through resignation of P.-Lieut. D. J. Drane; effect 1-8-24.

Promotions: C.Q.M.S. Smart, E. W., to be C. S. M., effect 1-8-24. A.-Sgt. Dempster, A. J., to be C.Q.M.S., effect 1-8-24. Sgt. Sargent, A. G., to be Sgt., effect 1-8-24.

Strength increase: Beek, C. E., No. 10, taken on strength, effect 6-11-24. Jacklin, A. No. 6, taken on strength, effect 6-11-24. Butler, S. W., No. 8, taken on strength, effect 6-11-24. Benwell, S. G., No. 9, taken on strength, effect 19-9-24. Sargent, A. G., No. 11, taken on strength, effect 18-10-24. Green, S. A., No. 12, taken on strength, effect 11-11-24.

Strength decrease: No. 1, Sgt. Catching, W., struck off strength, effect 31-7-24. No. 2, Sgt. Butler, F. W., struck off strength, effect 31-7-24. No. 7, Hunt, R. J., struck off strength, effect 31-7-24. No. 14, Sgt. Vickers, B. S., struck off strength, effect 31-7-24. No. 10, Sgt. Beek, C. E., struck off strength, effect 31-7-24. No. 8, Sgt. Jacklin, A., struck off strength, effect 31-7-24. No. 6, Sgt. Butler, S. W., struck off strength, effect 31-7-24.

Parade: The Company will parade as strong as possible at 8 p.m. sharp at the Armory next Tuesday evening, November 18, 1924.

Training: Tuesday, Nov. 18.—8-10, Roll call, 8:30-9:15, lecture on Lucas lamp, 9:30-10, station work, using Lucas lamp, 10-10:30, radio, etc.

C. R. D. FERRIS, Lieut.,  
—Cor Commanding.

## CHARTER PENDING ON THE TATJANA

If Not Sold After Six Is Launched She Will Load Lumber—Capt. Hewison to Command

A tentative charter is pending on the Pacific Salvage Company's steamer Tatjana, when she completes repairs at the Esquimalt drydock. The V.M.D. is doing the work and expect to launch the vessel by December 15.

Although there is a tentative charter pending, the liner is still for sale the Pacific Salvage Company announced yesterday. In the event that she is not sold, she will most likely load lumber for the Atlantic seaboard.

Captain J. M. Hewison has been given command of the Tatjana, the company announced yesterday, while Captain F. C. Stratford, who formerly worked with the Pacific Salvage Company will command the Salvage Chief, which is stationed in the harbor here.

It is understood that after Captain Hewison has taken the Tatjana on her trip to the Atlantic seaboard that he will be given command of the company's new steamer, Salvage King. As master of the Algerine and Salvage Chief, alternately, Captain Hewison has seen much experience in salvaging work on this coast.

## TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

Station CFTV (Victoria City Temple)—Duo-Art and Victrola. Recital broadcast Tuesday, 7 to 8 p.m., by Fletcher Bros. Music and Radiola House from their Radio Studio.

KFL, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 408)—4:45 to 5 p.m., Avolian organ recital; 8 to 9 p.m., Hotel Ambassador Coconut Grove Orchestra; 9 to 10 p.m., programme from Examiner Studio; 10 to 11 p.m., Packard Ballad Hour.

KFSG, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 278)—10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Sunshine Hour programme; 3:30 to 4:30 p.m., organ recital programme of Esther Fricks Green; 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Gray studio children's programme.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (Pacific, 312)—8 p.m., Studio programme given by pupils, past and present, of Edwin Dunbar Crandall, Oakland, Cal.; 10 p.m. to 1 a.m., dance music programme by Hedry Halstead's Orchestra and soloists, Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (Pacific, 402)—12:30 p.m., concert; 5 p.m., children's programme. Story by Jean Adkins; 7:15 p.m., Pacifica weather, news bulletins and police reports; 8 p.m., agricultural lecture provided by Oregon Agricultural College Extension Service; 8:30 p.m., concert by Roosevelt High School Glee Clubs.

KLL, Los Angeles, Cal. (Pacific, 308)—12:30 to 1:30 p.m., programme presenting Tommy Tibbets and his Rendezvous Ballroom Orchestra from Crystal Beach; 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., matinee music; 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., children's programme presenting Prof. Walter Sylvester Hertog telling stories of American history. The weekly visit of the Sandman and Queen Titania. Louis F. Klein, harmonica and autoharp; 8 to 10 p.m., programme presented through the courtesy of the Newbery Electric Company, arranged by J. Howard Johnson; 10 to 11 p.m., Art Hickman's Dance Orchestra from the Biltmore Hotel.

KFO, San Francisco, Cal. (Pacific, 423)—4:30 to 4:45 p.m., Rudy Selger's Fairmont Hotel Orchestra broadcast by wire telephony; 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., children's hour stories by Big Brother of KFO taken from the Book of Knowledge; 7 to 7:30 p.m., Rudy Selger's Fairmont Hotel Orchestra broadcast by wire telephony; 8 to 10 p.m., programme by the Orpheus Club of Oakland; 10 to 11 p.m., E. Max Bradford's Versatile Band playing in the Palace Rose Room Bowl.

CFAC, Calgary, Alta. (410).

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Sale of Work—The Young Women's Auxiliary and Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church will hold their Christmas sale of work, home cooking and candy in St. Paul's Hall, Victoria West, on Friday evening, November 21, at 7 o'clock.

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**GREG BEAT DELANEY**

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 17. — Harry Greb, middleweight boxing champion, was awarded a judges' decision over Jimmy Delaney, St. Paul light-heavyweight, in a ten-round boxing match here tonight. Greb's title was not involved. The weights were: Greb, 169; Delaney, 173.

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## At the Playhouses

### PLENTY OF PLOT IN "OH, YOU TONY"

Tom Mix, Star, in Hot Water Continually as Result of Chase Incident on Raining Him

Washington politics, frenzied finance, plot and counterplot, rippled across the screen last night in the wake of Tom Mix and his well-known four-legged friend, Tony, when the Capitol Theatre Fox production, "Oh, You Tony," Tony Mix of his stunts of his own and Tom Mix essays what is for him a brand new role, that of a student, and later an instructor of students. Still, as spurs and Washington society don't mix, Tom had to discard the "horse persuader" and try a bolder shift. He decided to do a comedy. Still, as spurs and Washington society don't mix, Tom had to discard the "horse persuader" and try a bolder shift. He decided to do a comedy. Still, as spurs and Washington society don't mix, Tom had to discard the "horse persuader" and try a bolder shift. He decided to do a comedy.

## AMUSEMENTS

The screen Capitol—"Oh, You Tony," featuring Tom Mix. Coliseum—George Hackathorne in "The Turmoil." Columbia—"The Hero of Ladysmith," starring Owen Nares. Dominion—J. Warren Kerrigan, "The Covered Wagon."

## TEN COMMANDMENTS DESCRIBED AS ONE OF WORLD WONDERS

"The Ten Commandments," the most widely discussed moving picture of the time, and which is this season being shown only by touring companies, in regular theatres, will be presented at the Coliseum Theatre next week by Adolph Zukor and Jesse L. Lasky. This film, which created a sensation last season in New York and London, is the product of what was undoubtedly the most prodigious task ever undertaken in motion picture making. Cecil B. De Mille, the producer, employed 5,000 people on the enterprise, the building of an ancient Egyptian city on the desert of California was one of his biggest achievements. A large staff of experts on architecture, costume and implements of war devoted months of research work to designing, and the mechanical engineers utilized their full measure of ingenuity in constructing the devices for creating such amazing effects as the parting of the waters of the Red Sea and the collapse of the Egyptian edifice. Artistically and mechanically "The Ten Commandments" sets a new standard in cinema production.

## Warm Debate Results In Lack of Decision

Canadian Legion Fails to Endorse Mr. H. D. Twigg's Motion to Revoke Resolution Passed at Previous Meeting Endorsing Mackenzie Motion in Legislature—Amendment Also Laid on Table—Question of Politics Freely Aired at Lively Gathering

AFTER three hours of heated discussion and debate over a resolution submitted by Mr. H. Despard Twigg, M.P.P., former commandant of the organization, urging the Canadian Legion to endorse a motion passed at its last meeting which endorsed the action of Captain Mackenzie, M.P.P., and Major H. J. Burde, M.P.P., in placing the open House of Commons in the matter of the House of Commons take such steps as are necessary to curtail the powers of the Senate in the matter of interfering with returned soldiers' legislation as passed by the House of Commons, the Canadian Legion last night decided to lay Mr. Twigg's motion and an amendment to it on the table, and consider to-morrow night the resolution being drafted by soldier members on both sides of the House to replace the Mackenzie resolution and the Peck amendment to it.

Mr. Twigg's resolution stated that the adoption of the Ian Mackenzie motion by the Legislature would retard rather than accelerate removal of injustice from the administration of the Pensions Act, etc., and asserted that "while approving of and giving to anything that can reasonably be expected to better the condition of ex-service men and their dependents, this post should not discuss or resolve upon matters that have a political significance only, or even a suspicion thereof."

An amendment, sponsored by Mr. H. W. Hart, and seconded by Mr. H. A. Bowden, which, like the Twigg motion, was laid on the table, called for the endorsement of the Mackenzie resolution in so far as it petitions the Government of Canada to take such steps as are necessary to curtail the powers of the Canadian Senate as to make it impossible for an apologetic body to thwart legislation over the interests of ex-service men and their dependents already approved by the elected representatives of the people in the House of Commons.

In addition, the amendment called for the endorsement of the amendment.

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Dominion organizer for the Presbyterian Church Association, who speaks tonight in the Chamber of Commerce on Church Union.

## OPPONENTS OBJECT TO FORM "CHURCH UNION"

Opponents of Church Union resent the term "anti-Unionists," because, as they say, many people who are favorable to union are in opposition to the present plan. They claim they wish to be known as Presbyterians who intend continuing in the church of their fathers. It is admitted on all sides that the disruption of the Presbyterian Church seems inevitable, and because of this, many men who formerly favored union are now found on the other side of the question, asserting that a forced union cannot be in the best interests of Christianity.

The Rev. W. F. McConnell and other speakers will be heard this evening in the Chamber of Commerce, when reasons will be advanced why the Presbyterian Church should be continued as part of the religious life of Canada. The meeting is open to the public and will commence at 8 o'clock. The chair will be taken by Dr. Thomas Miller.

## COLISEUM WEEK BEGINNING MON. EVE., NOV. 24

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## JUNIOR CANADIANS ASKED TO LECTURE

Women's Canadian Club Invites Members of Two Younger Societies to Address on Tuesday

The romance and fascination of the Yukon will be described in an interesting travelogue by Mrs. George Black, F.R.G.S., before the Women's Canadian Club this afternoon at 3:15 in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. Mrs. Black has spent many years in the North and her collection of one hundred colored slides will add much interest to her address.

Miss Eileen Bennett will be the soloist. Because of its great educational value, the members of the two junior Canadian Clubs of the city have been invited to attend the lecture, and members of the club having daughters attending the High School will be privileged to bring them on this occasion. The hour of meeting is changed to 3:15 to permit the attendance of these schoolgirls.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 17.—Shipping between two cars of a moving train, John O'Leary, a Canadian National trainman, was instantly killed at Padstow Junction, near here last night. He was decapitated.

## Finally found health in Kellogg's Bran after suffering long with constipation

Mr. Patch writes that Kellogg's Bran "solved his problem." It has solved the problem of constipation—mild and chronic—for thousands of others. It has brought relief when all else has failed because Kellogg's Bran is ALL bran. Nothing but ALL bran can be 100 per cent effective. Read Mr. Patch's letter:

Dear Sir: I have been a constant sufferer from constipation and have wondered what was the cause of it. I have tried about all the cereals I could think of, and finally tried Kellogg's Bran. This solved my problem. I feel 100 per cent better and I owe it to your Bran. Thanking you very kindly for the great cereal, I am, Very respectfully, Chester C. Patch, (Address on Request) For the permanent relief of constipation, eat Kellogg's Bran regularly—two tablespoons daily—in chronic cases, with every meal. It sweeps clean and purifies the intestines. It rids them of the dangerous poisons that lead to other diseases. It is guaranteed to bring results, or your grocer will return your money. Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumpled, is delicious with milk or cream. You will like its nut-like flavor—different from ordinary, tasteless bran. Sprinkle it over the cereals. Cook it with hot cereals. Eat it in Kellogg's Bran muffins, griddle cakes and many other wonderful recipes given on the package. Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumpled, is made in Toronto, Canada and is served by the leading hotels and clubs everywhere. It is sold by all grocers.

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Lines of Turnbull's Underwear for Men for November WINTER WEIGHTS

Turnbull's No. 84, natural wool mixture, double breast, A medium weight Fall garment. Also in combinations.

Turnbull's Cheete Underwear, No. 24. A heavy natural all-wool garment for Winter wear.

Turnbull's No. 212 Underwear. Heavy natural all-wool; Cheete brand; shirts and drawers or combinations.

Turnbull's No. 220 Underwear. A fine medium weight garment, Cheete brand; shirts and drawers or combinations.

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THE PURE WOOL UNDERCLOTHING THAT WILL NOT SHRINK

Why it is different

This sheep on knitted underclothing signifies—

the ONLY UNDERCLOTHING MADE IN CANADA that is Knit-to-fit, that is Re-inforced at wearing parts (during knitting) and that will not prick.

For COMFORT, wear

**Turnbull's (Knitted) Underclothing**

a truly Canadian product of 60 years reputation and a quality, unexcelled by even the best imported.

A Suggestion—

FOR LADIES Buy CEETEE No. 115—a beautiful, pure white wool combination or Turnbull's No. 418. Sold by the best dealers.

FOR MEN Buy CEETEE No. 218—knit, softest of pure wool natural color—CEETEE No. 412—a "do" best garment of pure wool—marking never made. Worn by the best people of Galt, Ontario.

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# The Colonist's Pictorial Page



Miss Ellen Wilkinson, the only new woman member of the British parliament, is also the only Socialist woman to hold a seat



At New End Hospital, England, Mrs. A. Payne brought into the world three bouncing youngsters on the day of the British elections. A rather "Liberal" victory in the hospital, even though Conservatives triumphed throughout United Kingdom



Miss Clara Kosha, the accomplished daughter of the Siamese minister to Italy, is not only one of the prettiest young women of her race, but is compared favorably with the most charming of Italy



Miss Hermina Tormes of San Juan in Porto Rico is the first woman to argue a case before the U.S. appellate court. Porto Rico is in the Boston circuit and all appeals are heard there



This charming portrait is the latest study of Mrs. Stanley Baldwin, wife of the Conservative leader, who is now premier of Great Britain



A Lapp woman, living with her tribe in Sweden above the arctic circle, foots it down to the nearest railway station in order to tempt tourists with souvenirs



As a result of Speaker Gillett's retirement from the U.S. house of representatives, the Republicans will be confronted with the task of choosing his successor



It is no easy task to carry the spoils of the chase very far by this method, as any hunter will testify, especially if the kill is made several miles from the camp  
—C.N.B. photograph.



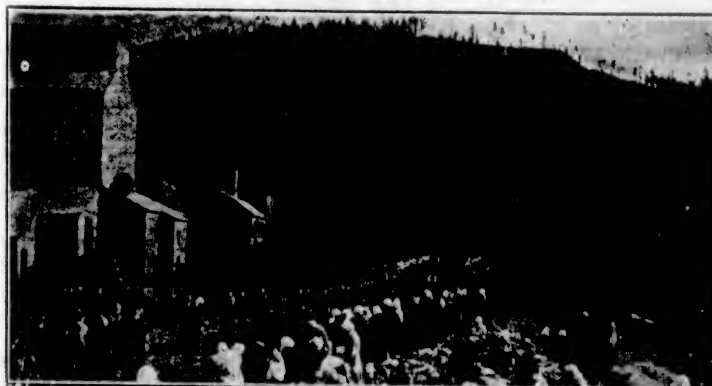
When the town of Emmigrant, Montana, had no barber last summer and the girls demanded to be bobbed, the village blacksmith volunteered his services and now he combines two jobs



Here's an exciting race between a moose and two hunters on one of the lakes in the Nipigon district of Northern Ontario. A beautiful mounted head now tells the story of the animal's defeat  
—C.N.B. photograph.



Charles Ponzi, notorious finance "wizard," is once again in the public eye as the result of his trial now in progress in a Boston court. An accountant testifying called him "progressively insolvent"



These ranks of Doukhobors extended for a mile at the funeral of Peter Veregin, Doukhobor "King," at Brilliant, B.C., following his death as one of nine killed when a bomb blew up and destroyed a railway coach



The ex-Crown Prince of Germany at his home in Silesia, is making quite a name for himself as a tennis player, defeating the majority of his opponents. He is shown talking to one of his partners in a "doubles"



Here is part of the tremendous group of medieval figures, which constitutes a striking memorial to Sten Sture, Sweden's celebrated champion of liberty, born nearly 500 years ago



The latest on the continent is ostrich races. This photograph, taken at Prague, Czechoslovakia, shows "Great Sport," one of the birds after it had won the main race of the card



This king of the jungle passes up a meal in the person of Sam Hobson to have his photograph taken at a lion farm in El Monte, California



















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SUPERIOR VALUES

# Suitable Christmas Gifts for Overseas Friends

## Christmas Gift Suggestions

For Your Overseas Friends  
In the Whitewear

Camisoles of silk crepe de Chine, satin, Milan silk and colored voiles, trimmed with pretty lace, insertion or hemstitched designs. All sizes. Each... **\$1.25, \$1.69, \$2.00, \$2.50** and **\$4.50**

Crepe de Chine Nightgowns, in tailored and dainty styles, trimmed with hemstitching, pin-tucks, lace medallions and insertion, in all the new pastel shades. Special, each... **\$9.25**

Crepe de Chine Sets, lace trimmed in plain and attractive combinations of colors, trimmed with ribbon rosettes. Special... **\$7.25** and **\$8.25**

New Voile Sets, comprising vest and step-ins, trimmed with fillet, Val. lace, lace medallions or embroidered. Shown in peach, maize and flesh. Priced at... **\$2.65, \$3.50, \$4.95** and **\$6.57**

Dainty Voile Gowns, trimmed with lace medallions and ribbon rosettes, shirred and hemstitched. Shown in peach, orchid and flesh. Priced at, each... **\$2.25, \$2.50** and **\$3.25**

Hand Made Gowns of finest nainsook, finished with scalloping, elaborate hand drawn work and embroidered fronts. In white, flesh and honeydew. Priced at... **\$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.95** and **\$5.25**

Crepe Kimonos in attractive designs and colors, trimmed with ribbon ruchings or ruffles of self material; hand embroidered fronts. Priced at... **\$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.25, \$7.95** and **\$8.95**

Japanese Crepe Kimonos of extra heavy quality, embroidered in elaborate Oriental designs. Special values at... **\$3.95**

Dainty Boudoir Caps of lace, embroidered muslin and satin, trimmed with ribbon ruchings, dainty rosettes. In a very large assortment of colors and styles. Priced from **66¢** to **\$3.50**

## A Splendid Showing of Women's and Children's Woolen Gloves

Children's Scotch Knit Woolen Gloves, wrist style, seamless fingers, heavy quality; in plain or heather mixture shades. A pair... **50¢**

Children's Woolen Gloves, in gauntlet and wrist styles, soft finish brush wool in assorted heather mixtures, sizes 3 to 7. A pair... **59¢**

Women's Brushed Wool Gloves, regulation wrist length, seamless fingers, nice soft finish wool; shown in fawn, beaver and taupe. A pair... **59¢**

Children's Brushed Wool Gauntlet Gloves, of heavy quality and nice soft finish with stripe of contrasting shade on cuffs; shown in camel, beaver, brown, fawn, natural, grey, taupe and mole. A pair... **79¢**

Women's Brushed Wool Gauntlet Gloves, with large deep cuff and seamless fingers; shown plain or with fancy stripe cuff, in all the wanted shades. A big value at, a pair... **98¢**

## Women's Fleecy Cotton Underwear

Medium Weight—Comfortable to Wear

Women's Harvey Vests, slip-over style, with short or no sleeves, plain bias tape straps. A good wearing fleecy cotton garment; sizes 36 to 44. Each... **\$1.25** and **\$1.35**

V neck style, with short sleeves; sizes 36 to 44. Each... **\$1.35** and **\$1.50**

Women's Harvey Fleece Cotton Combinations, with short or no sleeves and plain bias tape finish, knee length; a well-known reliable make; sizes 36 to 44. Each... **\$2.25** and **\$2.50**

V neck style with elbow sleeves and knee length; sizes 36 to 44. Each... **\$2.50** and **\$2.75**

Harvey's Silk and Cotton Mixture Combinations, bias tape finish, knee length, short or no sleeves; sizes 36 to 44. At a suit... **\$2.95**

## Girls' and Children's Rain-capes, \$2.98 and \$3.95

Children's Colored Raincoats of splendid quality; made with well lined hood; shown in shades of fawn, navy, grey and light blue; sizes 2 to 14 years. Priced at... **\$2.98**

Children's Rubber Raincoats, in white only; sizes for 2, 3 and 4 years. Special at... **\$2.98**

Girls' Waterproof Capes, in fawn and navy blue; made with silk lined detachable hood; sizes for 4 to 14 years. Priced at **\$3.75** and **\$3.95**

## Jerseys and Jersey Suits

For Small Boys

English Jerseys, made with turn-down collars in brown and white mixtures; sizes for 2 to 6 years. Each... **\$1.75**

Jersey Suits, consisting of jersey and pants. The jersey is made with turn-down collar and three buttons; in sage blue only; sizes for 3 and 4 years. A suit... **\$3.75**

Two-Piece Jersey Suits, jersey and pants; made with turn-down collar and three buttons in front; shown in fawn trimmed with henna and fawn with sage. Well finished suits for the ages of 2, 3 and 4 years. A suit... **\$3.75**

## 29-Inch Natural Spun Silk, 85¢ a Yard

1,000 yards of strong Natural Spun Silk that gives endless service. A yard... **85¢**

## Heavy Printed Linoleums A Sq. Yd., 79¢

1,000 yards of Heavy Printed Linoleum, from Weiler's stock, in well printed and pleasing designs and very serviceable. Weiler's price, a square yard, 98¢. On sale for... **79¢**

## Christmas Parcels for New Zealand and Australia

Must Be Mailed as Follows

If sent direct by steamer—Christmas parcels should be mailed not later than 10 p.m. on November 18.

Parcels may also be sent via San Francisco, and these must not be mailed later than 1:30 p.m. on November 25.

When buying gifts to send abroad, you are invited to make full use of our wrapping and mailing facilities.

## Ready-Made Gift Suggestions From the Art Needlework Section

An assortment of hand-embroidered models, including cushions, centrepieces, pillow cases, children's dresses, house dresses, rompers, runners, scarfs and tea-cloths. All half price.

Three-Piece Luncheon Sets, painted on wax cloth. At a set, **75¢**

Chinese Work Baskets, all sizes. Priced from **35¢** to **\$1.25**

## Indian-Made Moccasin Slippers

Are Typical of Canada—An Ideal Gift for Your Overseas Friends

Suede Moccasins, fur-trimmed and beaded, in grey or brown. Women's sizes, a pair... **\$1.45**

Children's sizes, in brown suede, a pair... **\$1.00**

Men's sizes, in brown suede, a pair... **\$1.75**

Superior Grade Suede Moccasins, trimmed with fur or moose hair; shown in fawn or tan. Women's sizes, a pair... **\$2.50**

Hair Seal Moccasins, women's sizes, a pair... **\$3.00**

All-Fur Moccasins, shown in black only, women's sizes, a pair... **\$3.50**

Men's Tan Grain Seal Moccasins, all sizes. A pair... **\$2.50**

## Coates' Spool Cotton

120-yard spools, in sizes 36, 40, 50 or 60. One dozen... **55¢**

## English Pull-Overs, \$5.95

Suitable for Golf, Skating and General Outdoor Wear

Tweed-Finish Pull-Overs, made from heavy grade wool, some knit in beautiful all-over patterns of contrasting colors, while others are just in plain shades. They have V necks, long sleeves and narrow girdle. Reduced from \$7.95 to... **\$5.95**



## A Special Purchase of Women's

# Fall Coats

\$39.75

Newest Styles and Shades  
Copies of High-Grade  
Imported Garments

Handsome Coats that are well worth your special attention. The material is of the finest quality, they are well tailored, and the trimming is decidedly different, such as deep fur cuffs and choker collar, nicely embroidered on one side, with fur on the reverse. Fashioned in cut velvet, trimmed with electric seal, and fully lined with smart plaid lining. The shades include brown, henna, sandalwood, sand and green. Sizes 16 to 44. Priced at... **\$39.75**

## Asbestos Table Covers

Weiler's Stock—Big Values

Fine Grade Asbestos Table Mats, the sure protection for highly polished dining-room tables. All to be cleared at reduced prices.

Asbestos Covers, with square corners, 42½ by 54½. Weiler's price, \$20.00. On sale for... **\$13.50**

Asbestos Covers, round; 48-inch diameter. Weiler's price, each, \$16.50. On sale for... **\$11.75**

Asbestos Covers, round; 45-inch diameter. Weiler's price, each, \$15.00. On sale for... **\$10.50**

Asbestos Covers, round; 42-inch diameter. Weiler's price, each, \$13.50. On sale for... **\$10.50**

Asbestos Covers, round; 40-inch diameter. Weiler's price, each, \$12.50. On sale for... **\$10.50**

Asbestos Covers, round; 38-inch diameter. Weiler's price, each, \$11.50. On sale for... **\$10.50**

Asbestos Covers, round; 36-inch diameter. Weiler's price, each, \$10.50. On sale for... **\$10.50**

## Weiler's Stock of Hemp Carpets and Napier Matting

At Reduced Prices

36 inches wide, in plain green or bordered carpets, two-tone green, brown with green or red border. Weiler's price, a yard, \$1.35. On sale for... **95¢**

27-inch wide Bordered Carpet, in two-tone green, blue and brown. Weiler's price, a yard, \$1.10. On sale for... **75¢**

22½-inch wide Bordered Carpet, in blue, brown and green. Weiler's price, 95¢. On sale for, a yard... **80¢**

## Christmas Gifts for Overseas

Suggested From the Men's Furnishings

Men's Silk Ties, in brocades, plain colors and fancy stripes. Prices, **75¢** to **\$2.00**

Men's Pure Silk Knit Ties, in bar or fancy stripes and plain black. Each, **\$1.50** to **\$2.50**

Men's Art Silk Knit Ties. A large range to select from... **50¢** to **\$1.00**

All Ties in Presentation Boxes

Men's Wool and Silk Neck Mufflers, in plain colors; white, black or fancy stripes. **\$1.50** to **\$4.75**

Silk and Wool Socks, two-tone shades; plain or with clocks; and... **75¢** and **\$1.00**

Men's Thread Silk Socks, colors or black; plain or with checks. At a pair... **\$1.00** to **\$2.00**

Fancy Cashmere Socks of pure wool; checks or stripes. Pair, **\$1.00** to **\$1.50**

Linen or Cambric Handkerchiefs, initialed or plain or with colored borders; soft mercerized finish. Each... **25¢** to **50¢**

Men's Wool Lined Mocha Gloves, grey or tan. A pair, **\$2.00** to **\$3.75**

Men's Silk Lined Suede Gloves, excellent value. A pair... **\$3.00**

Men's Wool Lined Kid Gloves, a pair, **\$2.00** and **\$2.25**

Men's Lined Gauntlet Auto Gloves. A pair, **\$1.75** to **\$4.95**

Men's Cashmere Socks, colors or black. Pair, **50¢** to **\$1.00**

All-Wool Golf Hose, a pair, **\$1.35** to **\$2.25**

Men's All-Wool Pull-Overs and Sweater Coats, a large stock to select from; plain colors or sports stripes and checks. Each, **\$3.25** to **\$10.00**

Men's Fine Grade Shirts, in fast color woven cloth; best brands. At each... **\$2.25** to **\$3.75**

## Christmas Gifts for Overseas Friends From the Book and Stationery Depts.

**Christmas Cards**  
Cards for everyone. Special cards for relations. Comic Cards for men. Each **5¢** to **60¢**  
Boxes of Selected Christmas Cards. Box... **50¢** to **\$1.00**

**Calendars**  
Black Cat Calendars... **35¢, 50¢** and **\$1.00**  
Calendars, neatly boxed... **35¢** to **\$1.50**  
Sample Calendars, each... **75¢**  
Study Dog Calendars, each... **50¢**  
Calendar Mounts for photos, 15¢

**Tags, Seals and Enclosure Cards, a pkt.** **10¢**

**Spools of Tinsel Cord, 50 yards for** **25¢**  
**Tinsel Cords and Ribbons** **10¢**  
**Holly Wrapping Paper, roll, 15¢** and **20¢**

**Framed Mottos** **75¢** to **\$2.00**

**Burnt Leather Goods**  
Book Covers... **\$1.00** to **\$1.25**  
Book Marks... **25¢** to **30¢**  
Photograph Albums... **50¢** to **\$3.75**  
Blotters... **\$1.25** to **\$2.25**

**Dainty Gift Books**  
The Book of Cheer... **60¢**  
Just Being Happy... **60¢**  
A Message for You... **60¢**

**New Novels, each, \$2.00**  
Gordon of the Lost Lagoon, by Robt. Watson.  
A Gentleman of Courage, by Curwood.

Sackcloth and Scarlet, by George Gibb.  
Red of Redfields, by Grace Richmond.

Garden of Folly, by Stephen Leacock.  
The Enchanted Hill, Peter Kyne.  
The Glory Hole, by Stewart E. White.

Carson of Red River, by Bindloss.  
Legends of Vancouver... **\$1.25** and **\$3.50**  
Indian Legends of Vancouver  
Flint and Feather... **\$2.00** and **\$3.50**

**Canadian Poetry**  
A Book of Canadian Prose and Verse... **\$2.50**  
Fires of Driftwood, by Ishel Ecclestone Mackay... **\$1.50**  
Song of Prairie Land, by Wilton... **\$1.75**

**The Latest Reprint Novels.**  
Special... **80¢** to **\$1.00**

## Broadcloth Over-Blouses

New Shipment—Exceptional Values

\$3.50 Each

Over-Blouses, made of fine quality broadcloth, designed with "Bramley" or "Peter Pan" collars and long sleeves with turned-back cuffs. Some are trimmed with lace and fine pin tucks, others have vest front and are trimmed with imitation hand-drawn work or piping in contrasting shade. In white only; sizes 34 to 44. At each... **\$3.50**



## Navy Blue Cardigans for Girls

Navy Blue Cardigan Sweaters, all-wool, in plain knit, with two pockets; just the thing for school wear. A good shade of navy for uniform wear. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Regular \$5.75 values, for... **\$4.95**

## UPHOLSTERED CHAIRS

Priced for Quick Clearance—From Weiler's Stock

One High-Back Wing Arm Chair, with spring seat, back and arms; fully covered with blue and gold damask. Very handsome chair. Weiler's price, \$95.00. On sale for... **\$55.00**

One Chaise Lounge to match the above chair; well finished and good design. Weiler's price, \$125.00. On sale for... **\$75.00**

One Arm Chair with spring seat and back and Marshall spring cushions. Covered with best grade tapestry. Weiler's price, \$115.00. On sale, **\$75.00**

Windsor Arm Chairs and Rocker, with walnut finish frame. Weiler's price for the pair, \$20.00. On sale, **\$15.00**

One Tapestry Covered Arm Chair, with spring seat and back and pad arms. Weiler's price, \$35.00. On sale, **\$25.00**

One Tub-Shape Chair, covered with attractive tapestry, has spring seat and back and pad arms. Weiler's price, \$95.00. On sale for... **\$60.00**

Two Arm Chairs and Two Side Chairs with high backs and rush seats; mahogany finish frames. Weiler's price for the four, \$90.00. On sale, **\$45.00**

Arm Chairs and Rocker, with walnut frame, spring seat and back and covered with excellent grade tapestry. Weiler's price, \$50.00. On sale for... **\$30.00**